

WEATHER FORECASTS

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Vancouver and Vicinity—Moderate to fresh northwesterly winds; mainly fair, with sharp frost at night.

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TWO GERMAN SHIPS PERISH IN ATTEMPT TO ESCAPE BLOCKADE

Bahia Blanca Strikes Iceberg Off Iceland and Sinks In Mists Used as Cover From British Patrols—Ussukuma Scuttled When It Is Faced With Capture Off the Coast of Africa

LONDON, Jan. 11 (P).—Two more German ships which set out to run the British blockade were added to the toll of Nazi shipping today when one was reported to have struck an iceberg in northern waters, while the other was scuttled thousands of miles away, to the south.

Copenhagen dispatches told of the sinking of the Bahia Blanca, 8,500 tons, after striking an iceberg off the coast of Iceland.

Dispatches from Capetown told of the scuttling of the 7,334-ton German vessel Ussukuma a month ago off the African coast. Survivors were landed at Capetown from a British warship. They will be interned for the duration of the war.

SALES IN DISGUISE

The war saga of the Bahia Blanca was a long one. She was on the seas out from Hamburg when war was declared. The vessel changed her identity, and on September 11 arrived at Rio de Janeiro disguised as a Greek freighter. She had then been at sea thirty-two days.

In mid-December she slipped out of port, to run the Allied blockade, apparently feeling that by taking

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TRAINING PLAN IS PROGRESSING

Empire Air Scheme Expected To Be Well in Operation By Midsummer

OTTAWA, Jan. 11 (CP).—Rapid progress is being made in preparatory work for the British Commonwealth air training plan and present indications are that the ambitious scheme to train some 20,000 to 30,000 air force recruits a year in Canada will be well in stride by midsummer.

Australian and New Zealand recruits, preliminary training behind them, should reach Canada in June, and recruits from the United Kingdom will follow shortly, according to Air Marshal Sir Robert Brooke-Popham, of the Royal Air Force who is now in Ottawa.

Before the recruits from the Mother Country and the other Dominions arrive, however, Canadian boys will be under instruction at air training schools scattered across the country.

FLOOD OF APPLICATIONS

Staffing of the air training schools will require some 40,000 persons, 30,000 of whom will be civilians. The air force has been flooded with applications for such service.

Group Captain G. G. Banting, of the R.A.F., has arrived from England to assist Air Marshal Brooke-Popham as British representative in the co-operative training plan, and the two officers shortly will make a Dominion-wide tour of inspection of air training school sites selected.

Many aircraft will be used in the training plan have already been delivered from United States, British and Canadian factories.

The National Defence Department announced aircraft for the training plan would be standardized on six types of machines, many of which would be built in Canada.

DECREE OF FRANCO TO FREE THOUSANDS

MADRID, Jan. 11 (P).—Sources close to the Government said tonight that a "new justice" decree to free thousands of civil war prisoners resulted from Generalissimo Franco's belief that war wounds could be healed and national unification achieved best by benevolent treatment of erstwhile enemies.

It was learned today's decree would be applied retroactively, which would provide for re-examination of about 150,000 cases tried by military courts which passed sentences.

ON DUTY TODAY

LONDON, Jan. 11 (CP).—Oliver Stanley, newly-appointed War Secretary, will take up his duties at the War Office tomorrow. He has been confined to his home during the last ten days with an attack of influenza.

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After Meeting in Paris



Premier Edouard Daladier and Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain shake hands to symbolize Anglo-French accord at a meeting of the Franco-British War Council in Paris. In the centre is the British Foreign Minister, Lord Halifax.

SEE ATTACK ON RUMANIA

Observers in Paris Predict Early Campaigns by Germany and Russia

By WILLIAM BIRD
(Released by North American Newspaper Alliance, Inc.)

PARIS, Jan. 11.—A new battle-front in Southeastern Europe will be opened up shortly and the possibility is that fighting may take place on more than one sector. This is the considered opinion of competent observers with whom this writer has discussed the situation.

Russia is expected to begin a drive against Rumania which in all probability will be synchronized with a German attack on that country also. It is understood here that the Stalin-Ribbentrop agreement, made last August 23, provided for partition of Rumania in much the same manner as Poland was divided, giving Bessarabia to Russia and Transylvania and Valachia to Germany, while the fate of Dobruja is left in abeyance pending the result of efforts to get Bulgaria to join the aggressors.

BREIT TROOPS IN SOUTH

Russia is expected to use the same tactics against Rumania as she used against Finland, beginning by setting up a puppet government in Bessarabia and then marching in on the pretext of delivering the Bessarabians from their oppressors. It is pointed out that the Russians will have fewer difficulties here than in Finland, for numerous reasons, the most important being that the best Soviet troops are concentrated in this region, while less experienced troops have been used against Finland.

Rumania's only natural defence here is the Dniester which, however, can be turned on the north, and that apparently is the Russian plan, according to observers who have recently visited that front. Another

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Argentineans Suffering in Severe Heat

BUENOS AIRES, Jan. 11 (P).—Police guarded ice plants from angry consumers and the heat toll rose to fifteen today as the thermometer touched 98 degrees on the sixth day of a heat wave.

Twelve more persons died today, ninety suffered heat prostration and seventeen others are in a serious condition.

More than a score of persons stormed one ice plant in protest against the raising of the price of fifty pounds of ice from the equivalent of twenty cents to \$1.25, and thereafter police posted guards at the plants.

Finn Milliners Show Latest Spring Hats In War-Scarred City

Helsingfors Kept Tidy in Spite of Damage Done By Aerial Bombardment—Bolshevik Army Remains Stalled on Icy Frontiers

HELSINGFORS, Jan. 11 (P).—The bulky Bolshevik army was still stalled today on Finland's icy frontier and Helsingfors milliners took advantage of the situation to display new spring hats.

How life goes on despite the hardships of war in this city built on a rock by its stubborn people is evidenced by the hat displays.

The Spring hats do not blossom in bright shop windows as they used to. Their existence is discreetly signalled by pictures of the new fashions pasted on tough boards which protect shop windows against bomb fragments.

PLENTY OF WOMEN
Plenty of women are still here to be thinking about new spring hats. This is a woman's as well as a men's war.

And there are other boarded-up shop windows displaying illustra-

First War Loan Of \$200,000,000 To Open Monday

Twelve-Year Bonds to Bear Interest at 3 1/4 Per Cent—Will Be Callable by Lot in Five Sections After 1948—Proceeds to Be Used to Finance Canada's War Expenditures

OTTAWA, Jan. 11 (P).—Canadians will be asked to lend their Government \$200,000,000 at 3 1/4 per cent interest when the first Dominion war loan is offered to the public next Monday morning.

BAN IS BACKED BY SOCIALISTS

French Communists Have Eight Days to Disavow Russian Connections

PARIS, Jan. 11 (CP).—Socialists in the Chamber of Deputies rallied tonight behind a Government bill designed to exclude from elective office members of the outlawed Communist party unless they publicly disavow any connection with Moscow or the policies of the Soviet Government.

Support of the Socialists, allied in the past with the Communists and still constituting the largest party in the Chamber, apparently assured passage of the measure which will come before the deputies for debate on Tuesday.

RIGHT-DAY LIMIT

The bill, introduced after Edouard Herriot, President of the Chamber, had delivered a scathing denunciation of the Soviet invasion of Finland, gives former Communists eight days in which to make their disavowal.

The measure applies not only to members of Parliament but to ex-Communists holding mayoral, departmental or municipal council posts throughout France.

The Communist party was outlawed by Government decree in September. At the start of the war members of the party held seventy-two seats in the Chamber of Deputies. Many of these members have been jailed or are fugitives from justice.

DETAILS OF INITIAL WAR FINANCING

operation were contained in an announcement made here tonight on behalf of Hon. J. L. Baskin, Finance Minister. The bonds will be offered at par and will not be tax free as were most of the war and victory bonds sold in the first Great War.

The loan proceeds will be used to finance expenditures for war purposes. It is estimated that for the first full year of the war Canada's effort will cost \$1,000,000 a day.

MAY ACCEPT CONVERSIONS

In addition to the \$200,000,000 in new money, the Finance Minister will have discretion to accept applications for conversion of Dominion of Canada 3 per cent bonds maturing March 1, 1940, into an equal par value of the new issue.

Dated February 1, 1940, the bonds will mature February 1, 1952, but by a system of annual drawings by lot they are callable in five equal sections beginning February 1, 1948.

When these bonds are turned in for conversion they will be valued

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WESTERN FRONT SPRINGS TO LIFE

At Least One German Plane Destroyed—Sharp Siren-War Mark Land Operations

PARIS, Jan. 11 (CP-Havas).—Professing by clear, cold weather, the Western Front sprang to new life today, with both sides taking to the air in a series of reconnaissance and photographic flights which resulted in the destruction of at least one German plane behind the French lines.

Land operations on the Western Front, while involving several sharp skirmishes, still were confined to local activity. In several instances French detachments came to grips with German shock troops. The German units were generally made up of from fifty to sixty men and were particularly active in the sectors directly to the east and west of the Vosges foothills, and in the zone to the west of the Saar River.

BOMBER FORCED DOWN ONTO DANISH SOIL

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 11 (P).—The second German bomber to make a forced landing on Danish soil in two days came down today in a field near Tønder, just across the border inside Denmark.

The bi-motored machine was burned by the four members of its crew, who then were interned along with the crew of the plane forced down yesterday.

A NEW MINE-FIELD

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 11 (CP-Havas).—The Netherlands naval command announced today it will place a new mine-field off the coast of Southern Holland Province near Ter Heide.

From Europe Day by Day—THE TIMES, London

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LONDON, Jan. 11 (By Cable).—"The calculated brutality of bomb and machine-gun attacks on helpless and peaceable British fishermen," says The Times, dealing with the latest outbreak of Nazi frightfulness at sea, "is not the conduct of a civilized man, but rather the blind and vindictive barbarism of a savage, determined like a mad dog to rend whatever is within his reach."

"So far as there is any calculation behind these brutalities it is that of the bully bent upon terrorizing his opponents in the belief that they will thereby be reduced to submission. But the only effect will be to strengthen the nation's determination to master the hateful spirit of Nazism."

Fresh Russian attacks have begun in the neighborhood of Salla and Lake Kianta in Finland, where the invaders recently suffered a heavy defeat. Sharp fighting is also occurring northeast of Lake Ladoga. British war material is now arriving in Finland and Italian help is also considerable. At first Germany allowed the transit of Italian airplanes for Finland, but on Moscow's protest, has now placed an embargo on the passage of these supplies, much to Italy's dissatisfaction.

However, to avoid admitting that even the smallest grain of sand has got into the Rome-Berlin axis, all news about the holdup of Italian war material or of the enrollment of Italian volunteers for Finland is kept from the Italian people.

The Times' diplomatic correspondent says the Cabinet has no present intention of withdrawing the British Ambassador from Moscow, and this is, no doubt, equally true of the French Government. Both ambassadors are now on leave, but there is no reason why they should not return to Moscow unless the Soviet Government makes it impossible.

Apparently Stalin does not wish to break off diplomatic relations with the western powers, as he does not wish Russia to be entirely dependent on Germany.

Sweden is completing war precautions and has passed emergency legislation providing for censorship, the right to detain suspects, and to impose embargoes.

An official report by the Uruguayan Government disclosed that the German allegation that British cruisers used poison gas in the battle against the Admiral Graf Spee is without foundation.

RED OFFICERS TO FACE TRIAL

More Than Hundred Reported Recalled for Failure Against Finns

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 11 (P).—Reports reaching Norwegian and Finnish sources said today that a sharp shake-up in the Soviet army has taken place, with recall of more than 100 Red army officers for failure to achieve greater success in Finland.

Coming as the Finns announced fresh success in pushing back the Russian invaders, the reports, which lacked confirmation, said some of the recalled officers would face summary trial before courts constituted of people's commissars.

UNDER INVESTIGATION
The reports said also the Soviet supply commissariat was under a scrutiny which already has led to some executions.

Displacement of Mikhail M. Kaganovich was linked by Scandinavian observers with the reports that the Red army and allied services were being reorganized as a result of weaknesses discovered in the Finnish campaign.

Russia announced last night that Kaganovich had been "transferred to another post."

Italian Ship Attacked by Nazi Plane

SAVONA, Italy, Jan. 11 (P).—The Italian vessel Valentini Costa reported today she had escaped a bomb dropped at her by a German warplane in the North Sea.

While she was en route from Newcastle, England, a German bomber apparently mistook her for a British vessel. One bomb dropped about sixty feet from the ship before the flyer sped away, possibly because he spied the Italian flag. The Valentini proceeded on her course but later collided with a heavy fog, the captain said.

BIGGEST AIR-RAIDING EFFORT OF WAR BY GERMANY BRINGS ENEMY NO VISIBLE SUCCESS

Home in London For Vacation



SIR WILLIAM SEEDS

BRITISH Ambassador to Moscow, Sir William Seeds, has returned to London for an indefinite holiday. The French Ambassador has also gone on holiday.

SNOW FOLLOWED BY HEAVY FOG

"Beautiful White" General On Lower Mainland—Inch At Chilliwack

VANCOUVER, Jan. 11 (CP).—A thick blanket of fog rolled over Vancouver tonight and followed by twelve hours the first snowfall of the season.

Although traffic was slowed up by the fog police said no serious accidents had been reported.

Before nightfall all snow had melted from the downtown section of the city but remained in residential districts.

Snow was reported general throughout the Lower Mainland district of the Province, but transportation officials said it was not sufficient to cause any delays on their lines.

The weather forecast was for "fair" weather with sharp frosts at night and gave rise to the possibility there might be more snow before the week-end.

One-half inch of snow fell here this morning as compared with one inch at Chilliwack.

Bitter Cold Takes Lives In Balkans

BUDAPEST, Hungary, Jan. 11 (P).—The coldest weather in years, accompanied by storms and a heavy snowfall, took many lives and paralyzed normal activity in many parts of Southeastern Europe today.

Temperatures as low as 40 below zero Fahrenheit were reported in the Danubian provinces of Bucovina and Transylvania. The Danube River was frozen for most of its length, its ice holding hundreds of barges bound for Germany with wheat and oil.

SINKS IN COLLISION

LONDON, Jan. 11 (CP).—The crew of seventeen of the British ship Leoniard Pearce, 1,571 tons, was rescued by a pilot boat after the ship sank in collision with another vessel today.

Britain Is Producing Surprise Long-Range High-Speed Fighters

New and Secret Type of Warplane Being Turned Out in Large Numbers—Being Withheld From Combat Until the Right Time

LONDON, Jan. 11 (P).—The Air Ministry disclosed today it is producing a surprise long-range fighting plane "of very high speed." At the same time the editor of Jane's All the World's Aircraft, standard reference book on the air strength of fifty countries, said British airplane factories are working night and day to turn out a "new and secret" type of warplane.

The Air Ministry in its announcement said the time has not yet come for the employment of its new super-fighting plane, but that "when it does, there may be some surprises—especially in the numbers which are likely to be used."

Unofficially it was stated the craft is a new Defiant model, which is faster than either the Spitfire or the Hurricane at present the No. 1 and 2 pursuit craft of the R.A.F. The present Defiant is a single-

Pursuit Planes Chase Nazi Machines Out to Sea—High-Flying Raiders Spotted Over the East Coast From Scotland to the Thames Estuary—Thousands Watch Guns in Action

London Tanker Lost When Mine Struck in Irish Sea

LONDON, Jan. 11 (P).—High-flying German warplanes dodged British fighters and anti-aircraft fire today in a series of raids from the east coast of Scotland down to the Thames Estuary.

It was Germany's biggest raiding effort of the war, but no attacks were made on land objectives. At least one merchant ship and one trawler were bombed and machine-gunned, but sudden appearance of Royal Air Force fighters saved them.

The raids were so widespread that the public began to think they might be the prelude to a blitzkrieg on docks, shipyards and naval stations. But this was considered improbable by responsible quarters.

SPAIN SENDS AID TO FINNS

Reds Soon to Face Guns Sent by Russia to Help Republican Forces

PARIS, Jan. 11 (CP-Havas).—Russian arms supplied to the Spanish Republicans during the civil war, Spain now are en route through France to Finland to be used against the Red Army, it was learned tonight.

The Spanish Government has sent to Finland part of the vast quantity of Russian tanks, artillery, machine guns and other weapons captured from the Republican forces at the end of the civil war, almost a year ago.

The Rome correspondent of The London Daily Express reported that General Franco is also considering the possibility of sending to Finland Italian tanks, artillery and other war material left in Spain by Italian forces following the civil war.

MOVING THROUGH FRANCE
It also was learned that as a result of the German ban against Italian arms shipments to Finland by way of Germany, Italy has re-routed this material through France. This has also been done with shipments for other countries in Southeastern Europe.

The German ban on Italian arms shipments to the Finns is one of a series of measures taken by the Reich in an effort to aid the Russians in their disastrous Finnish campaign.

German technicians have been sent to Russia to correct glaring defects in Soviet industry, it was learned. Twenty German staff officers are reported en route to Moscow to find out why the Red Army bogged down.

POSITIONS REVERSED

Reports reaching here indicate that the setbacks of the Soviet forces in Finland have reversed the position of Moscow and Berlin in their economic relationship. Before the Finnish invasion, Russia dictated the terms on which it was willing to do business with the Reich.

PADEREWSKI IS ON NEW POLISH COUNCIL

PARIS, Jan. 11 (P).—Poles today reported that Ignace Jan Paderewski, Polish pianist who once was Premier, would take up his duties at once as a member of the new Polish National Council functioning in France.

Paderewski was reported to have arrived yesterday from Switzerland.

REPORT TO MAKE HEAVY READING

Rowell Commission Document Comprises Thirty-Four Volumes—Largest of Kind

OTTAWA, Jan. 11 (CP).—Members of Parliament have a lot of heavy reading in store for them at the coming session if they wish to master the contents of the report of the Royal Commission on Dominion-Provincial Relations.

The report will be tabled early in the session and will probably be the longest document relating to Canadian affairs ever laid on the table of Parliament. It will fill some thirty-four volumes.

The greater part of the report is now in the hands of the King's printer and is running through the presses as rapidly as possible. In view of the wartime rush of business for the printing bureau, the report must be presented in bold, French and English the printing bureau actually has to turn out sixty-eight volumes.

Oak Bay Takes Case For Disputed Water Rate to Commission

City Delegation Urges That All Future Conferences Be Open to Public—Accord Is Reached—On Few Points at Parley

A PRELIMINARY conference over the price to be paid for water was held between city and Oak Bay representatives before the Public Utilities Commission in the Central Building yesterday morning. Prof. W. A. Carrothers presided. The city delegation urged that all future water rate meetings be open to the public.

Present were Mayor Andrew McGavin, Aldermen T. W. Hawkins, John A. Worthington, Archie Wills, Edward Williams and W. Lloyd Morgan; Forrest L. Shaw, city solicitor; D. A. Macdonald, city comptroller, and G. M. Irwin, city water commissioner.

Oak Bay was represented by Reeve R. R. Taylor, Councilors P. A. Gibbs, Leo Grogan and Richard Angus; A. S. G. Muirgrave, municipal engineer; R. F. Blandy, municipal clerk, and H. G. Lawson, K.C., solicitor for the municipality.

During discussion to decide a plan of procedure to settle the water rate dispute, Oak Bay admitted that the city was entitled to a return on its investment in the Sooke Lake and Goldstream waterworks systems.

Oak Bay could agree on certain points in regard to the value of both systems, and hoped to reach an

accord on the annual cost of maintenance and operation, but it could not agree with the city on the question of depreciation.

Other questions discussed included the relative qualities of water carried through both waterworks systems, the amount to be charged Oak Bay for water at Smith's Hill reservoir and at a point in the pipeline marked by Government Street and Hillside Avenue, the return the city was entitled to on its investment, and examination of waterworks books by Oak Bay.

At the present time Oak Bay is paying the city 7.5 cents per thousand gallons for water, having declined to recognize an increase to 12.5 cents per thousand gallons. Professor Carrothers suggested to city and Oak Bay representatives that they confer to ascertain how many points they could agree upon.

A. F. Stevens Is Named President

The annual meeting of the Men's Parish Guild of Christ Church Cathedral was held in the guild room of the Memorial Hall last evening. The report covering the past year's activities was adopted, together with the financial statement.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, A. F. Stevens; vice-president, H. W. Hall; chaplain, Rev. J. R. Pile; secretary, H. L. Roberts; treasurer, A. H. Pinlinson; while Captain W. Ord with Messrs. Miles, T. Harrison and H. H. Smith were chosen to serve on the committee.

A period of fellowship and the serving of light refreshments followed the conclusion of the meeting.

BRITAIN PRODUCING SURPRISE FIGHTERS

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That has not happened so far, although every pilot of the R.A.F. is anxious to see what will happen when the H.Q. meet a Spitfire, a Hurricane or a Defiant for the first time.

Although the German craft is formidable, it has not had conspicuous success against British bombers over Germany. Britain has two models which can convey solid and cumbersome bombers on raids to German bases. They are the Blenheim and Beaufort twin-engine machines, which really are light bombers but can be used as long-range fighters. The Blenheim has a range of 1,000 miles, slightly less than the Beaufort.

C. G. Grey, editor of Jane's, declared that British airplane engines are unopposed by those of any other nation; a conclusion he said that "seemed to have been confirmed since the declaration of war."

He described Russian military planes, which he classified as copies of American bombers and fighters, as "unreliable" and "liable to fall to pieces when diving." The Spanish civil war, which Grey characterized as a testing ground for Russian and German planes, taught one lesson, he asserted: That the old (1930) biplanes with modernized motors make about the best single-seat fighters because of their manoeuvrability and strength.

Both Britain and Germany, he said, have retained the biplane fighter. The Gloster Gladiator, fastest British craft of the biplane type, now is being used specifically for fighting war.

The Daily Express said today that plans smuggled to London from Germany showed that the Messerschmitt 110 is intended as a long distance escort fighter.

British Envoy to Russia in London

LONDON, Jan. 11 (P).—Sir William Seeds, British Ambassador to Moscow, returned to London yesterday, accompanied by Lady Seeds, for a "vacation," but well-informed political sources said that he may not go back to his post.

Information brought back by Sir William himself, as well as statements made at the Soviet Embassy here, show that Russia is determined to pursue her Finnish campaign whatever the consequences. The same determination exists on the British side to lend all aid possible to Finland, qualified sources said.

More Than Fifty Poles Arrested

KAUNAS, Lithuania, Jan. 11 (P).—Lithuanian Security Police today broke up an alleged Polish military organization accused of plotting a coup d'état in Wilno (Vilna), with the arrest of more than fifty Poles, including students and former army officers.

JAPANESE PREMIER DECIDES TO RESIGN

TOKIO, Jan. 12 (P).—Premier General Nobuyuki Abe was reported today by Domei, Japanese News Agency, to have announced his decision to resign at a special Cabinet meeting next Sunday morning.

NOTED ARTIST DIES

NEW YORK, Jan. 11 (P).—Jonas Lie, fifty-nine, one of the world's leading marine and landscape painters and past president of the National Academy, died last night from pneumonia. The Norwegian-born artist achieved fame while working as a designer in a cotton factory and studying art at night.

FOR THIRTY CENTS

VANCOUVER, Jan. 11 (P).—From a hospital bed, Mrs. Noah Paul belatedly told police tonight how two men strong-armed her on a downtown street early this week. The woman was struck over the head, knocked down and kicked about the head and face by two bandits who escaped with thirty cents.

WARD THREE TAXPAYERS

The meeting of taxpayers of Ward Three, Sanich, which was to have been held in the Gordon Head Hall tonight, has been postponed until Friday of next week at 8 o'clock. The meeting will discuss bus service arrangements, light and telephone charges and other matters of interest to residents of Ward Three.

McKeech Cup Rugby, Saturday, January 13, Varsity-Victoria, Macdonald Park.

THOUGHT CRASH WAS JUST WIND

Mistake Cost Motorist \$30 For Failing to Return to Scene of Accident

Joseph Van Eynde, 3423 Bethune Avenue, was fined \$30 on a charge of failing to return to the scene of an accident, by Magistrate Henry C. Hall, in the Sanich police court yesterday afternoon.

L. F. Foot, 722 Market Street, testified that on the evening of January 2 he was driving along Boleksine Road when he saw a car approaching and driving all over the road. Although he took to the ditch, his machine was struck on the left front fender. When the other car failed to stop, Foot said he turned round and followed it to Bethune Avenue, where Van Eynde got out. When he asked the accused if he had been on Boleksine Road, he declared that Van Eynde asked "where that was." Van Eynde's car was damaged on the left side.

Miss Christine D. Reid, 837 Darwin Road, who was a passenger with Foot, corroborated his evidence and also identified the defendant.

Van Eynde, who was represented by E. H. M. Foot, said that he thought he had struck something on Harriet Road and got out of his car to investigate. Seeing no one he proceeded on his way and at the supposed scene of the accident thought the noise of the crash was the wind.

Police were summoned to the accused's home right after the accident, by Foot.

AIR FORCE REQUIRES SKILLED TRADESMEN

OTTAWA, Jan. 11 (P).—Skilled tradesmen between eighteen and forty are required at present by the Royal Canadian Air Force, the National Defence Department announced tonight.

Apart from men actually skilled in handling airplanes, aero engines and parts, men are required with experience in such trades as: Acetylene welders, electricians, wireless and electrical mechanics, tailors, police, photographers, telephone operators, motorboat crewmen, meteorologists, machinists, watchmakers, instrument repairers, fabric workers, equipment assistants, cooks, clerks, cabinet-makers, armament artificers, woodworkers, metalworkers, motor mechanics, tinmiths.

Youths Remanded Until Next Week

Four youths charged with breaking, entering and committing theft in the Brentwood Mercantile, Ltd., were remanded until next Thursday when they were arraigned in the Sanich police court yesterday afternoon.

John Kraso requested a remand so that he might consult legal aid before making election. A. J. Patton, appeared for George M. Patton, but Charles Brown and Frank Dunnegan were not represented by counsel and elected to be tried before Magistrate Henry C. Hall.

Mr. Patton said that if he could have the charge against Patton read to accuse the youth of being an accessory to the crime, he would enter a plea of guilty.

PERISH IN ATTEMPT TO ESCAPE BLOCKADE

the northern route she would be able to keep herself hidden under Wintry mists and in stormy seas from British patrols.

MISTS PROVE FATAL

The "protecting" mists were believed to have proved fatal for the Bahia Blanca, which was built in 1918 and plied in the German-South American trade. She struck the iceberg last night, and Copenhagen reports said the crew of sixty-two was rescued by the ice-land trawler Hatzfeldt.

Details of the Usukuma were not known here, and an official statement concerning the ship was not forthcoming at the Admiralty, but dispatches said that officers and men from the vessel were landed at Capetown from a British warship.

Naval sources indicated the Usukuma was scuttled by her crew after interception by British warships off the African coast on December 6.

France Tightens Meat Restriction

PARIS, Jan. 11 (P).—France's restrictions on meat were tightened today by a revised decree establishing Friday as a completely meatless day and prohibiting sale of beef, veal and mutton on Mondays and Tuesdays.

In addition, the decree prohibits restaurants from serving more than one meat dish per customer on permitted days, and limits the portion to five and one-quarter ounces, including bone.

SUGGEST PARLEY BE HELD IN CITY

Victoria—Parent-Teacher—Council May Invite Federation to Con-vene Here in 1941

A proposal that the British Columbia Parent-Teacher Federation should be invited to hold the 1941 convention in Victoria was discussed at a meeting of the Greater Victoria Parent-Teacher Council in the city school board office last night. It was agreed that the suggestion should be discussed by the various associations, and that the delegates should report their views to the next meeting of the council, to be held on February 29.

At that meeting also resolutions and arrangements for the federation convention to be held in Vancouver during Easter week will be discussed.

A letter was received from the federation congratulating the Victoria council on the excellent increase in membership achieved through the Autumn drive. Trustee P. E. George, chairman of the council, mentioned that at the end of 1939 the associations in Greater Victoria had a paid-up membership of 1,233.

A list of outpost schools on Vancouver Island in need of used magazines of a suitable type was received, and after discussion as to the collection and forwarding of the magazines, it was decided to allocate outpost schools to local parent-teacher associations as follows: Hardwicke Island, Sir James Douglas and Margaret Jenkins P.T.A.'s; Kyuquot, Monterey P.T.A.; Oyster River, Calkanda P.T.A.; Quadra Island, Quadra and Burrside P.T.A.'s; Stuart Island, Tillamook and Mount View High School P.T.A.'s; Squirrel Cove, South Park P.T.A.; Clayoquot, Gordon Head, Mount Douglas and Cedar Hill P.T.A.'s.

DANISH VOLUNTEERS ARRIVE IN FINLAND

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 12 (P).—The first company of Danish volunteers has arrived in Finland to aid their Finnish neighbors against Soviet Russia's Red Army invaders, the newspaper National Tidende reported today.

The Danes represented the second group of Scandinavians to go to the assistance of the Finns, four contingents of Swedish volunteers having been entrained for the Finnish war front.

Japanese Make War Contribution

VANCOUVER, Jan. 11 (P).—A donation of \$300 for the Dominion Treasury as a war contribution from the Japanese Cleaners' Association was received today by Mayor Lytle Telford.

A letter accompanying the donation, presented to the Mayor by a delegation headed by S. Okuma, association president, stated that the members "are desirous of expressing through you to the Government of Canada our deep appreciation of the struggle which is being carried on by the British Empire for the preservation of democratic principles and the protection of human liberty."

AIR RAIDS BRING LITTLE SUCCESS

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mine off the west coast of Great Britain. It was probable that the mine was laid by a German submarine and it may reflect a new policy by the German Navy to cut off Great Britain's vital overseas connections. The El Oso's crew of thirty-six, several of whom were injured, was landed at an unidentified port.

An unidentified Italian ship sank after striking a mine off the east coast. Thirty-one aboard were rescued. Crowds on the coast saw the ship mined and only a mile away a trawler was being attacked by a German plane. The trawler was damaged but was able to proceed under her own power.

A Reuter's News Agency dispatch from Rome said the sunken Italian ship was the 5,123-ton Traviata.

TRAWLER DAMAGED

One Nazi echelon attacked a trawler off the Scottish coast, damaging it with bomb splinters and machine-gun bullets. The attackers were driven off by R.A.F. fighters. A third group dumped several bombs harmlessly near a sandbank off the Norfolk coast.

Three Air Force fighters were reported to have chased off and damaged a Heinkel bomber as it flew fifty feet above three cargo vessels. The plane dropped several bombs, without hitting anything, as it sped homeward. When last seen smoke was emerging from one wing.

British planes have extended their effort to keep German bombers at their bases, flying far out over the North Sea and attacking such bases as the Island of Sylt. They are guarding carefully against ship bombings and are alert against the possibility of a lightning blow at docks and shipyards.

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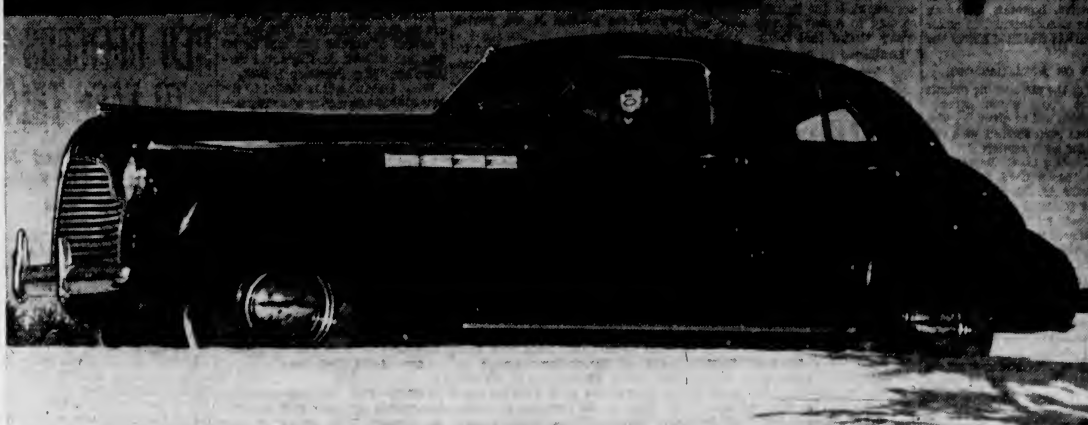
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Correspondent on Way to War Front Tells of
Crossing Atlantic and of Power of British
Navy to Protect Ships

LONDON, Jan. 11 (By Cable).—"If she was ahead, I'd ram her." The speaker was the ship's captain, a bluff, burly mariner with a Mussolini jaw and weary-lidded eyes. Your correspondent had asked him how long it would take to turn so as to train the stern gun on a submarine if it rose ahead. The answer left this passenger comforted, that we could come around in sixty seconds. The scene was his cabin, some-where in the Atlantic, where he was

having tea, before a brief rest on a settee. During the whole voyage he never went to bed, never took his clothes off, and was always within thirty seconds' jump of the bridge, ready to ram, come about, or run. He said he would run if given the chance.

KNOWS SEA PERILS

He was an experienced sea-dog. During the Great War he was on the Carmania in a famous sea fight, and also commanded a destroyer in the Mediterranean. In this war he has seen destroyers sink a submarine not far from his ship, which was shaken from stem to stern by the depth charges. He knew the perils of the sea in wartime. The passengers only guessed them.

Called to the deck the first day and facing the coldest ocean ever seen, the passengers were told calmly to do on the order to abandon ship. They realized a war was on. The lifeboats were swung outboard, ready for quick lowering. Volunteers were asked to assist the lookouts. All

were warned to carry their lifebelts everywhere and not to smoke on deck in the dark.

The ship was blacked out completely at night, and it gave one an eerie feeling to know that a submarine might be about to rise in the cold, grey wilderness of the water.

NAVY ON WATCH

We saw a freighter once in the distance. We zig-zagged on clear days and moonlit nights, losing a considerable part of our forward progress, and it was comforting to know that the British Navy was watching over us, though never seen.

We got bulletins telling us of the end of the Graf Spee, also the fate of trawlers and tankers sunk "by mines and torpedoes." Details of the fight put up by the Exeter, Achilles and Ajax gave us a thrill and fortified all hearts. The fortification was welcome, for the most smiling faces hid annoying little thoughts.

At last we sighted well-known landmarks and entered well-known waters. Signs of activity: trawlers, freighters and liners entering the harbor. We saw His Majesty's ships gathering in the dusk. Two destroyers, weather-beaten and sea-stained, glided past like ghosts, returning to port after a spell of submarine hunting, grimy, but comfortingly businesslike.

On landing, we recognized imperturbable Great Britain, ancient and warlike, carrying on soberly, sagely and calmly in the face of the greatest menace of all. With no fuss or excitement, the just quietly resolved to win. As usual, her might had assured our safety, but in our danger we thought of the hundreds of captains and crews daring danger daily in the endless sea traffic essential to victory and made possible by the ceaseless sea scouring of His Majesty's ships.

ROBBER GETS PRISON TERM

Thornett to Serve Seven
Years for Holding Up
- Edwin Mulholland

Convicted on a charge involving the armed robbery of Edwin Mulholland at Tait Street and Carey Road in Saanich on December 13, William Thornett was sentenced to serve seven years in the penitentiary by Judge H. H. Shandley in County Court yesterday afternoon.

In pronouncing sentence, the court commented: "The evidence against you is overwhelming. I do not believe your story. Identification is positive, and I am convinced you are the guilty man. If your record had been as bad as I thought it would be, I would have had you 'nipped' for this crime. You are better kept by the authorities out of danger."

Joseph B. Clearhue, K.C., was the Crown prosecutor. The accused was not represented by counsel.

Mr. Mulholland, a bus driver for the Vancouver Island Coach Lines, Ltd., told the court that he heard quick footsteps as he sat in his vehicle at 10:15 o'clock on the night of December 13 at Tait Street and Carey Road.

FIRE REVOLVER

Thornett then presented a pistol, groined "give me your money," and fired the weapon at a distance of four feet before Mr. Mulholland had a chance to answer. The bus driver was struck by a bullet on the right arm and lifted out of his seat by the impact.

On another command from Thornett, he handed over between \$3 and \$4 in silver, and was ordered to throw out the fare box. The accused dragged it about six feet and placed it under his arm. The driver heard an automobile start.

He telephoned Saanich police from the nearest house. At the bus depot he found the bullet on the floor of the vehicle. He testified that he identified Thornett from a police photograph the next day and also picked him out at a line-up.

Dr. J. H. Moore, head of examining the wound on Mr. Mulholland's arm, Chester Stanlake described turning the bus over to Mr. Mulholland at the time the robbery was committed. Detective Jacob A. Young, Provincial Police ballistics expert, estimated that the bullet had been fired from an old pistol or one in poor condition, and that the cartridge had been one of old design.

SEE BULLET FOUND

John D. Grant and Dudley Johnson testified that they saw Mr. Mulholland find the bullet in his bus. Sergeant Sydney Wilkinson described the line-up at which the accused had been identified.

Arrest of the accused had been made by Sergeant Eric Elwell and Constable Cecil Pearce, Saanich police. Constable Thomas Stevenson described locating Thornett at 1626 Government Street.

Thornett's assertion was that he had been drinking heavily on the night of the robbery. He claimed to have been at the Ken Wo Rooms on Johnson Street from 9:45 to 11 o'clock.

The accused's record showed that he had been convicted on a charge of obstructing a constable at Vancouver in 1936, and twice for vagrancy last year.

WANT UNIFORM EXCHANGE RATE

Hotels and Stores Urged to
To Give U.S. Tourists
Benefit of Premium

In order that people of the United States may be encouraged to take advantage of the 10 per cent premium on the American dollar by spending their vacations in Canada, efforts are being made to have a uniform rate of exchange established throughout the Dominion.

D. Leo Dolan, chief of the Canadian Travel Bureau, in a letter considered by the directors of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce yesterday, stated that the matter had been discussed with the Foreign Exchange Control Board, which had agreed that the board's official rate of 10 per cent should be made uniform throughout the Dominion.

There was no excuse for failure on the part of hotels and all other businesses likely to be patronized by United States citizens, to give the benefit of the exchange. Mr. Dolan declared.

The matter was referred to the tourist trade group of the chamber, and it was stated at the meeting that Victoria people should be made to realize that they were supported, and expected to pass on the 10 per cent premium to United States visitors who did business with them.

It was also recommended that publicity should be given in the United States to the fact that prices were no higher here now than they were before the war, and that the 10 per cent premium therefore, was a straight gain to tourists.

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Saanich Man Named Clerk Of Ladysmith

LADYSMITH, Jan. 10.—Out of 130 applications for the position of city clerk of Ladysmith, the city council appointed Frank L. Kitto, of Darwin Road, Saanich.

Mr. Kitto organized the unemployment and relief department in Saanich eight years ago and since that time had been employed as relief and welfare officer, in addition to serving in the accounting and tax department.

VICTORIA MEMBER LEAVES FOR EAST

R. W. Mayhew, M.P., Will Attend
Manufacturers' Meeting Before
Parliament Opens

Mr. Mayhew, M.P., left Victoria last night en route to Ottawa for the opening of Parliament in two weeks' time. Mr. Mayhew will spend a week in Winnipeg, and will then attend a meeting of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association in Hamilton before going to Ottawa. If possible, the Victoria member also will represent the local chamber at a conference of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce in Toronto on February 19, 20, and 21.

He will return to Victoria for a brief stay if the House takes a long recess at Easter, but otherwise will not be back here until Parliament prorogues.

Mrs. Mayhew will leave here in a week or ten days' time to join Mr. Mayhew in Ottawa for the opening of the House.

INVITE PUBLIC TO SERVICE TONIGHT

The general public is invited to hear late messages of Mary Baker Eddy, Rawson, Bishop Cooper, and Myrtle Fillmore at the round table discussion for students of New Thought, Rosicrucians, Theosophists, by Rev. B. Wilson-Hodgson, at Suite 3, Surrey Building, 639 Yates Street, tonight, at 8 o'clock.

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EDWARDS—Funeral services were held in McCall Bros' Funeral Home yesterday afternoon for the late Emmeline Edwards. Rev. C. D. Clarke conducted the services, during which the hymn "Abide With Me" was sung. The following acted as pallbearers: J. H. Eccles, J. J. Scarffe, G. D. Robertson and Sgt. D. Fisher. Cremation took place in the Royal Oak Crematorium.

WONG—Funeral service for Wong Sin was held yesterday afternoon at the Thomson Funeral Home and was largely attended. Many floral tributes were received. Rev. Chow Ling conducted the service, after which interment was made in the Chinese Cemetery. The following were pallbearers: B. Wong, Wong Hoy, Wong Yuen, Wong Bee, Wong Lee Chong and Wong Wo.

BREMBLE—Rev. G. H. Scarrett will conduct services for Mrs. Mary J. Bremble at Sands Mortuary Chapel on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in the family plot in Colwood Burial Park.

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PREPARING FOR A LONG WAR

Since the War started there have been warnings from high sources that this is going to be a long war. One of the earliest decisions of the British Government was to plan for at least three years of armed strife, while hoping that the conflict would be of much shorter duration. As the months have passed there have been many signs that pointed to eventual success for the Allies, but until there is the final knock-out blow the enemy may rise, time after time, to take and give punishment before defeat is certain. The British and French Governments are fully aware of this; leaders and authorized spokesmen have stated that intensive action on land and in the air, much more severe and bitter than anything experienced thus far, may be expected at any time, with a gigantic onslaught likely to take place in the Spring. There has been no suggestion that this action will be either brief or decisive, for there are no illusions about the strength and fighting resources of the enemy.

The British Government started the New Year with further large-scale preparations for a long war by making 2,000,000 more of her young men liable for military service. It had been stated before the Royal Proclamation that Great Britain already had all the men, a force of 1,500,000, under arms that she needed, and this was given as one of the reasons why Canada was not accepting recruits. It is obvious an unlimited number of men will be required, and this being the case, Canadians will wish to play their full part. But, except for the extremely limited enlistment permitted in the last few days, Canada has taken practically no recruits for some weeks.

As all things point to a long, desperate war, one that will take and tax the last ounce of Allied power, it is disappointing to the Canadian public that there has been no announcement of Canada's programme. There have been peaceable preparations, and there is the Empire Air Training scheme, but no comprehensive programme of preparation for a war of long duration. The time must come, and it might come soon, when the Government will have to face the issue, will have to announce plans for the enlistment and training of additional divisions for overseas service, or abandon any suggestion of more than token representation in the land operations of the Allied war effort.

The Ottawa Journal has been appealing to the Government to tell the public just what its programme is. "The Canadian people," the Journal suggests further, "don't want to be in this war with limited liability. They realize the vital need of air fighters, and will provide them, but we think they realize as well that there is a need for land forces, and would like to give their share of them. Above all, the Canadian people don't relish the role of being a sort of Allied Commissariat kitchen for British and Allied soldiers doing their fighting. That is not their tradition."

Similarly, in an appeal for more comprehensive preparation, The Globe and Mail has been urging national registration. The Toronto newspaper states: "Manifestly, if Canada is to give her full effort to the War, each citizen must do his share according to ability and opportunity. How can this be accomplished unless there is a complete up-to-date record to enable prompt selection to be made for a given activity? The thoroughness with which Britain has gone into the job should dispel any illusion that we can muddle through successfully."

The Great War was a premeditated war on the part of Germany, and Germany was ready. The present War was premeditated by Germany, and again Germany was prepared. Whatever reports there might be that Germany is lacking in essential supplies or is faced with other difficulties, while encouraging, are not grounds for belief that all is clear sailing for the British Empire and her Allies. There are many sacrifices yet to be made, and the duration of the War will be shortened only by facing these, and planning and preparing accordingly. Wishful thinking and grim realities are two different things; the first must not be allowed to blot out the second, else there will be stark disaster. At the forthcoming session of Parliament the Government must make it clear that it has plans complete for thorough preparations, based upon realities, or except a mighty protest.

A WORTH-WHILE RECORD

The Comox Logging Company was congratulated this week by the Provincial Minister of Labor on its record of timber operations in 1939 when there were no fatalities in its camps. With very large crews employed on Vancouver Island, the company emerged with a clean bill for the twelve-month period, in so far as deaths in the woods were concerned.

While the aim of an accident-less year may still be beyond human hopes, it is something to have minimized accidents and to have eliminated fatalities for a year. That is the mark at which others may shoot. During 1940, with benefit to the forest products industry as a whole. While there are human agencies involved, however, there will remain accidents to report.

The Safety-First campaign in British Columbia woods is comparatively new in origin. That it is worthwhile is self-evident. Anything that the Province may do, or the industry itself may accomplish along this line, will have a gathering and cumulative effect in the woods. Especially when production is running high, and all operations are speeded up, there is need for special care in work where one slip may mean the life of a man.

The Province might go farther than a letter of congratulation in such instances of a clean bill of health. It might institute a perpetual chal-

lenge trophy to be competed for by all branches of the industry, in their several divisions, putting a premium on careful operation, and giving credit to those responsible for such a result.

THE GROWTH OF SIBERIA

The news of developments in Siberia during recent years has indicated that there has been a sizeable increase in population to make possible the industrial expansion which has been taking place. The returns of the recent census in the U.S.S.R. confirm the reports of the growth of the Union's eastern regions. The present population of Siberia, excluding the Central Asiatic republics, is 19,379,292, an increase of about 30 per cent in the last thirteen years. In the areas bordering the Pacific the population has doubled to more than 2,000,000, and the population of Yakutia, which was 289,000 in 1926, has grown by more than 100,000. In the Central Asiatic republics the population has grown from 13,671,478 to 16,626,700, or about 126 per cent.

The rate of increase has been much greater in urban centres than in rural, and in Siberia, where only 12.8 per cent of the population lived in cities in 1926, the percentage now is 35. Twenty-seven cities in Siberia and seventeen in Central Asia have more than 50,000 inhabitants. Four of these cities did not exist in 1926.

The population growth, and particularly the growing urbanization, sharply reflects the industrialization which has taken place as natural resources have been exploited and factories built close to the supply of raw materials, states the Far Eastern Survey. Lack of manpower is still recognized as a handicap to Siberian economic development, but it is obvious that the situation is considerably better than thirteen years ago. While the growth in industries has been phenomenal, it is reasonable to suppose that the quality of the products and the efficiency of production have been sacrificed for the sake of volume. As a rule, it is only where the workers have had long training in mechanized production that a high degree of workmanship and efficiency has been attained.

Mr. James H. R. Cromwell has been confirmed in his nomination for the office of United States Minister to Canada, and will be taking up his residence in the American Legation at Ottawa shortly. That he will be accorded a warm welcome goes without saying, for his predecessors in the office have proved worthy representatives of their country, and good friends of Canada as well. Mr. Cromwell lacks some of the experience which his predecessors have taken to Ottawa, but his high sense of responsibility has been proven, and it may be taken for granted that he will do all he can to protect the long-standing friendly relationship between Canada and the United States.

Truth, London, records the news from Berne that Swiss scientists have made a notable contribution to the motion picture industry by making a film accompanied by scents appropriate to the scenes of rose-gathering, hay-making and woodworking. Even a picture of a surgical operation has its smell of ether. The scented talkie is perhaps a degree of perfection in motion pictures that has many disadvantages, for the distasteful odors that might accompany many scenes for purposes of realism could be appreciated more if not made obvious.

WAR AIMS

The war aims are: To save the British and French peoples the neutrals and mankind in general from the whip, the gun and the concentration camp; to save the children from the foul onslaught of paganism; to preserve Christianity, the law and the simple right to live decently. Need these aims require apology? The one supremely essential war aim is to win the war so that the evil spirit of this thing may be exorcised from Europe and the world. This is the first and prime requisite to a reconstructed world such as idealists cherish, but which never can be realized until a detestable system is destroyed.—Halifax Herald.

By union the smallest States thrive; by discord the greatest are destroyed.—Baltic.

The Weather

Metropolitan Office, Victoria, B.C., at 7:00 p.m., January 11, 1940.

SYNOPSIS OF WEATHER CONDITIONS

Pressure remains high west of Vancouver Island and is relatively low east of the Canadian Rockies. The weather has been moderate, cold, with light rain on the North Coast, and some light snowfall in the Fraser Valley District, and also in the Okanagan. Moderate temperatures are reported in the Prairie Provinces.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

(Precipitation for twelve hours to 5:00 p.m.; temperatures for twenty-four hours.)

	Precipitation	Min.	Max.
Victoria	0.3	35	41
Nanaimo	0.3	24	41
Vancouver	1.5	30	36
Kamloops	0.3	16	27
Prince George	0.3	18	30
Revelstoke	0.3	32	41
Prince Rupert	0.3	35	39
Langara	0.3	38	43
Atlin	0.3	3	13
Duncan	0.3	20	4
Seattle	10	27	40
Portland	Trace	29	43
San Francisco	0.7	33	40
Spokane	Trace	10	—
Penitton	22	—	—
Vernon	14	—	—
Kelowna	80	11	23
Grand Forks	Trace	11	23
Nelson	0.6	15	26
Kaslo	13	—	—
Cranbrook	3	—	—
Calgary	2	—	—
Edmonton	Trace	0	28
Swift Current	0	0	20
Moos Jaw	3	18	—
Prince Albert	0.1	3	18
Winnipeg	0.1	3	18
Regina	0.1	3	18
Saskatoon	0.1	3	18
Toronto	22	33	—
Ottawa	9	20	—
Montreal	10	26	—
Quebec	8	27	—
Halifax	8	27	—

Below zero.

THURSDAY

Minimum—Barometer, 29.99; wind, N, 10 miles; fair.

Maximum—Barometer, 30.02; wind, NW, 10 miles; cloudy.

Average—Barometer, 30.10; wind, NW, 10 miles; cloudy.

Minimum on the coast—Barometer, 29.99; wind, SE, 5 miles; cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.09; wind, NW, 2 miles; cloudy.

Langara—Barometer, 30.10; wind, NW, 10 miles; cloudy.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.03; wind, N, 10 miles; raining.

Portland—Barometer, 30.02; wind, SW, 15 miles; raining.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.97; wind, SE, 5 miles; raining.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.00; wind, W, 5 miles; cloudy.

Note and Comment

By SANDHAM GRAVES

Consider man's powers of attention.

After prolonged study, or intense concentration, or even too-unvaried attention to any fixed pursuit, the human powers of attention become tired; they begin to wander, rebel by fits and starts, and finally, being exhausted, cease entirely. At this stage one might as well close up the books, give up the effort at concentration, or change the pursuit for a greater or lesser period of time. The human mind will achieve nothing when it is tired. On the contrary, that is why the business man who is forced to keep the pace under such conditions. Yet men and women do themselves irreparable harm by failing to recognize this fact.

That is why teachers in class rooms suddenly find that their pupils are on a divide, they realize that minds have gone on a vacation. That is why there is often an irresistible human tendency to laugh at irrelevances in church or at other solemn proceedings. That is why the business man bangs his telephone and shouts at his office force without apparent cause. Fatigue, or nerves, or the usual explanations do not quite explain it, or, at least, they do not explain it all. Power of attention, to achieve the business man's end, is almost as a separate factor, not of the mind, not of the body, nor entirely of the will, but a little of each.

In the newspaper business, where powers of attention must be focused on a diverse variety of matters, and where concentration is turned like the beam of a searchlight on some express object from minute to minute, or hour to hour, the time comes when the powers of attention are tired out, and the mind wanders. In a similar way, much the same experience will be shared by all manner of men in all manner of businesses. To some extent that is realized and understood. It is for that reason that work days have an ending, and that the mind is given a respite of legislative concern. But there is another, and a larger, side to this problem.

To an extent not perhaps fully realized, the world's thoughts are, in the press, on the radio, on the street, in the clubs, wherever men or women join in conversation, war emerges as the first, and perhaps the last, topic of consideration. That is natural; it is also the saddest thing that is happening in Europe. In the press, on the radio, on the street, in the clubs, wherever men or women join in conversation, war emerges as the first, and perhaps the last, topic of consideration. That is natural; it is also the saddest thing that is happening in Europe.

It is wisdom to make what personal contribution one can to a country's united effort in war; and to forget as much as possible the war. Each day will express its own needs and its own experiences. Meanwhile at home there will be work to do, but if all the powers of attention have been expended on the one problem, not much work will get done. It is, of course, a personal problem, yet it is a national concern as well.

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Blind Indian Gets A Heavy Sentence

DUNCAN, Jan. 11 (CP).—Charles Charlie, a blind Indian, was convicted by Stipendiary Magistrate G. A. Tisdall here today of having liquor in his possession and sentenced to six months' imprisonment.

Mrs. Evelyn Jimmie, charged with Charlie, was given a six months' suspended sentence by the magistrate.

The Observation Car

By THE EDITORIAL STAFF

Glancing Over Sport

Lawson Little, former king of the amateur ranks on both sides of the Atlantic, did a grand comeback last week when he captured the Los Angeles open tournament with a sensational finishing round that won him out of one of the strongest and most select fields in the history of the event. Remember when Lawson boomed them all over the Oak Bay course in the \$3,000 open in 1937, but in that event Little didn't do very well, for he was hitting them in the head with his drives got into all kinds of trouble.

Victoria can take a strange hold on the historic McKee Cup Saturday when they tackle Varsity ruggers in one of the most important battles of the campaign. The historic trophy was missing not so long ago, but I understand it had been discovered and everything is on the right side of the ledger. Wonder who thought chap Henry Cooper is? He thought Billy Goss—the other night in the garden in the Madison Square Garden, but no one ever heard of Cooper until he climbed through the ropes. Just take a look at Cooper's record and you wonder how in the world Promoter Mike Jacobs let him in the same ring as the light-heavyweight king. After Conn's showing against this fourth rate it would be wise for him to steer clear of the chap he wants to meet, Joe Louis. The Brown Bomber would most likely blast Conn into oblivion inside of three hours, the greatest of all time. Conn is a fine boxer, but he has no steam in his punches.—J.D.

Confusing

Since the application of the war tax on tobacco products has been in their efforts to deal fairly with the consumers, have introduced strange new quantities for the packages that are sold to pipe smokers and those who roll their own. Such fractions as one-eighth, two-eighths, and three-eighths are really unusual now appear on the packages, and except for higher mathematics, it becomes very difficult to judge as to which package gives one the best value for one's money. There's another fraction now in use that we don't know how to express. It is two over twenty-one, and we leave it to someone else to decide whether it should be pronounced "two-twenty-firsts."—R.M.

No Winter Here

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DEPARTMENT TO BUY INHALATOR

Port Alberni Fire Brigade Offers to Purchase Equipment for District

PORT ALBERNI, Jan. 11.—At the first regular meeting of the 1940 council held last evening a letter was read from the members of the local fire brigade advising that it was the intention of the department to purchase an inhalator for use in the district. The financing for this machine will be done by the fire department from funds from the New Year's dance. Appreciation for the act by the members of the brigade was expressed by the council, and it was also decided that if there was not sufficient money to secure the equipment the city would be only too willing to assist.

Mayor W. O. Hamilton drew attention to the council that the city did not have a branch of the Seamen's Institute or any other such organization for the welfare or entertainment of seamen. Port Alberni, he said, was one of the leading shipping centres of the province, and seamen wandered around the streets with no place to go.

REPLACE PIPES

Application will be made to the government to use the sum of \$10,000 for the replacing of 24,000 feet of wooden pipe in the city. The sum is the remainder of \$60,000 which was borrowed from the Dominion Government to replace the main pipe line, but by careful purchasing and proper supervision of construction this amount was not used.

It was pointed out that the time had come when the equipment of the works department was fast becoming obsolete, with the result that the city found itself in the position of having to purchase considerable new equipment. A new grader was required, likely to run into \$7,000 or \$8,000 and a new excavator was needed which would cost in the neighborhood of \$1,000. The city considered it would save money by the purchase of a large shovel which would run into several thousand dollars. A new truck was needed for the works department and the fire department had long required another fire truck. It was stated.

Alderman John Woodford and City Engineer Fowle left for Vancouver this morning to look over necessary equipment and to report back to the city council.

DISCUSS PROBLEM OF LUMBER TRADE

Chamber of Commerce Directors See No Immediate Solution of Shipment Delays

Directors of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce yesterday briefly discussed the problem created here by the piling up of lumber awaiting shipment to Great Britain and to other parts of Europe, but no action was taken.

It was intended that the matter should be discussed with representatives of the lumber industry, but as none was present, it was decided by the directors to adjourn the meeting at the call of the chair, for fuller discussion later, if the lumbermen so desired.

Walter S. Miles suggested that, since it took shipping three times as long to come to the Pacific Coast as to the Atlantic seaboard, the only solution of the problem would be to send lumber overland to the East for shipment from there.

Duncan MacRidie, president of the chamber, pointed out that there would not be sufficient rolling stock available to cope with such a large movement of lumber.

Mr. Miles remarked that if the big shipping interests were unable to find tonnage to take Pacific Coast lumber, he failed to see what the chamber could do.

Chosen to Move Address in Reply

OTTAWA, Jan. 11 (CP).—Joseph A. Bradette, Liberal member of Parliament for Cochrane, Ont., will move the address in reply to the speech from the Throne, it was announced tonight after Prime Minister Mackenzie King and his Cabinet members held their usual Thursday session.

W. G. Weir, Liberal, MacDonald, will second the address.

No other announcements were made following the council.

FEVER IN JAIL

LETHBRIDGE, Alta., Jan. 11 (CP).—No prisoners will be admitted to the provincial jail east of here for the next week or ten days owing to discovery of two cases of scarlet fever in the institution, Warden G. Binke stated today.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

JANUARY

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1940.

Date Sunrise Sunset

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MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

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For Training FlyersNorth American Harvards, Avro Ansons, Fleet
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Battles and Noorduyv Norsmen Selected

OTTAWA, Jan. 11 (CP).—Decision to standardize on six types of aircraft for use at various schools and thus add efficiency in promotion of the British Commonwealth air training plan was made known today by the Defence Department.

The six types of planes are Avro Anson, North American Harvard, Fleet Trainer, De Havilland Tiger Moth, Fairey Battle and Noorduyv Norsmen.

Fleet Trainers and De Havilland Tiger Moths, built in Canada, will be used almost exclusively for instructional purposes at the elementary flying training schools, the department said.

As indicated by Hon. C. D. Howe, Transport Minister, last Sunday, 1,282 training aircraft will be manufactured in Canada, the engines being imported. It is intended, the department said, to achieve economy in engines also by standardization of type.

Avro Ansons and North American Harvards have been selected for the more advanced type of instruction at several flying training schools, while the Ansons also will be used at the air observers' schools and the air navigation schools.

FLEET TRAINERS

The flying instructors' school will be supplied Fleet Trainers, De Havilland Tiger Moths, Avro Ansons

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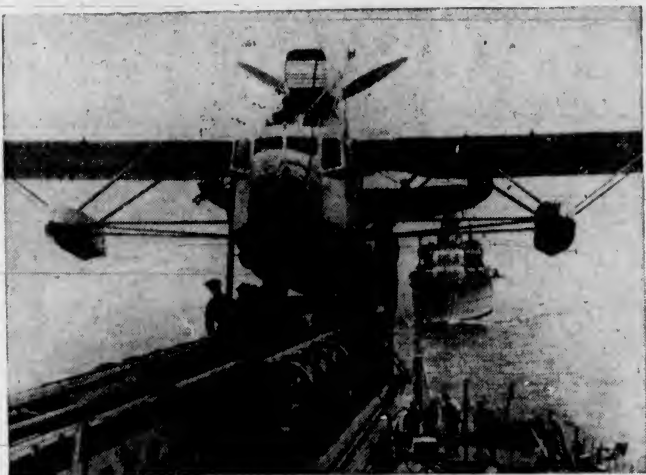
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feet is 188 miles an hour, while the cruising speed at 6,000 feet is 158 miles an hour. The service ceiling is 19,300 feet.

MADE IN CANADA

The North American Harvard training aircraft, manufactured in the United States, also will be produced in Canada for the various training schools, the department said. Maximum speed at 8,700 feet is 258 miles an hour. The service ceiling is 27,000 feet with bombs aboard. The Fairey Battle, manufactured in Great Britain, was designed as a two-seat medium bomber. It is to be used in Canada for training purposes, and also for towing targets. Speed of this aircraft at sea level is 210 miles an hour, increasing to a maximum of 257 miles at 15,000 feet. The service ceiling is 25,000 feet.

The Noorduyv Norsman is a single-engine transport monoplane that has achieved an enviable reputation in the development of the far-flung mining regions of Canada. Complete radio transmitting and receiving equipment will be installed in the aircraft to be used for

instruction at the wireless schools. Maximum speed of this aircraft is 150 miles an hour at 5,000 feet. The service ceiling is 21,000 feet, and the range with standard tanks is 550 miles.

Captain Skinner
Is Improving at
Island Hospital

VANCOUVER, Jan. 11 (CP).—Captain George Skinner, Vancouver fish-packer skipper, who survived a shipwreck and nineteen days on the desolate West Coast of Vancouver Island without food, is making good progress toward recovery in hospital at Port Alice, B.C., according to word received here today by Francis Miller.

Miller, owner of the fish-packer Great Northern V, which was wrecked a month ago near the entrance of Quatsino Sound, about twenty-five miles northwest of Port Alice, said Captain Skinner will be brought to hospital here by airplane as soon as his condition permits.

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Propose to Start
Another Atlantic
Air Mail Service

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 11 (P).—Five representatives of Scandinavian Airlines passed through Amsterdam today on their way to the United States to seek permission to start a new North Atlantic air mail service. The Swedish representative, P. Norlin, said the project was to establish such service over the Northern route from New York to Newfoundland, Iceland and a Scandinavian base.

MAIL AND SHIPS

WEATHER REPORT
VICTORIA—Clear, north, gentle; 30.04. 42. Light swell.
LEONARD INLAND—Clear; northwest, moderate; 29.80; choppy.
PACHENA—Part cloudy; northwest, light; 30.00. 42. Light swell.
CARMANAH—Clear; calm; 29.95; smooth.
CAPE BEALE—Clear; north, light; 29.80. Light swell.

WHEN MAILS CLOSE
YUKON AND ATLAN MAILS
Mails close 1:10 p.m., December 1, 12, 28, January 12, 26, via Vancouver. 8 p.m., December 2, 21, January 6, 18, via Seattle.
HONOLULU MAILS
11:15 p.m., December 4, 5, 9, 12, 16, 19, 22, 26, 30, January 1, 8, 9, via San Francisco.

COASTING CRAFT

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER—Sa. Princess Kathleen or Sa. Princess Marquitta will leave Victoria for Vancouver daily at 1:15 p.m.; Sa. Princess Kathleen or Sa. Princess Marquitta will arrive Victoria from Vancouver daily at 3:15 p.m.; Sa. Princess Kathleen or Sa. Princess Marquitta will leave Victoria for Seattle at 12 mid.; Sa. Princess Kathleen or Sa. Princess Marquitta will arrive Victoria from Seattle at 1:15 p.m.; Sa. Princess Kathleen or Sa. Princess Marquitta will leave Victoria for Seattle at 1:15 p.m.; Sa. Princess Kathleen or Sa. Princess Marquitta will arrive Victoria from Seattle at 1:15 p.m.

GERMAN SHIP
HIT ICEBERGBahia Blanca Sank Off
Coast of Iceland—Crew
Rescued by Trawler

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 11 (P).—The German steamer Bahia Blanca, 8,500 tons, was wrecked and presumably sunk after striking an iceberg off the coast of Iceland last night, marine authorities said today. The crew of sixty-two was reported rescued by the Iceland trawler Hafstein, despite heavy seas.

The Bahia Blanca sailed several weeks ago from Rio de Janeiro, where it arrived September 11, disguised as a Greek vessel, after a thirty-two-day trip from Hamburg. The Bahia Blanca was registered as the property of the Hamburg-South American Steamship Company. Built in 1918, the ship was engaged in trade between Germany and South America before the war.

GREAT STRAIN
FOR AIRPLANESpitfire, Out of Control,
Travels at Least 650
Miles an Hour

LONDON, Jan. 11 (CP).—A young Royal Air Force pilot has just "accidentally" flown a Spitfire fighter at a speed of 650 to 700 miles an hour, it was disclosed tonight.

(The speed accepted to date as the highest made in an airplane is 575 miles an hour, made by Test Pilot Lloyd Child in a Curtiss Hawk 75A pursuit plane at Buffalo, N.Y., January 23, 1939. Child was testing the first of 300 planes which the French Government bought from the Curtiss Company and now is using on the Western Front.)

After climbing to 23,000 feet, the pilot lost consciousness because of lack of oxygen. The next thing he knew his machine was traveling at terrific speed in vertical dive. "Though there was grave danger that in pulling the machine out of the dive he might suffer a mental blackout, caused by the draining of blood from the brain when a violent change in direction takes place, the pilot managed to switch to a vertical climb."

He noted the speed of his climb at 400 miles per hour. Expert estimates are that the aircraft must have been traveling at least 650 miles per hour during the dive, says an authoritative account of the feat.

Both the engine and frame of the plane are being examined following the tremendous strain and it is believed important data may be obtained.

First Motorist—"I ran across old George Smith yesterday."
Second Motorist—"How was he looking?"
First Motorist—"He wasn't—that's why I ran across him."

ARRIVED FROM ORIENT
TO JOIN HER HUSBAND

An arrival here during the week from the Orient was Mrs. V. H. Blaxhill. Mrs. Blaxhill boarded the Japanese liner Hei Maru at Kobe and has joined her husband, who recently joined the Canadian military forces.

Other travelers on the liner were K. Takeuchi, of the editorial staff of Glimpses of the East; K. Kuwada, of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, en route to New York; Charles Hamilton, customs officer of Shanghai, accompanied by wife and son, proceeding to England; and Solomon Liberman, dentist, Moscow, Soviet Russia.

Fearing Capture
German Steamer
Scuttled by Crew

LONDON, Jan. 11 (CP).—Officers and men from the 7,834-ton German steamship Ussukuma were landed at Capetown today from a British warship, reports from that place stated, and will be interned in the interior of South Africa.

Naval sources said the Ussukuma was scuttled by her crew after interception by British warships off the African coast on December 6.

AGREE TO PURCHASE
AUSTRALIAN WHEAT

LONDON, Jan. 11 (CP).—The Ministry of Food today announced an agreement with the Australian wheat board for the purchase of 1,650,000 tons of wheat and flour. The ministry said arrangements for shipment are in hand and that loading has started.

NOT OPPOSED
TO POLICIESMinister of Fisheries Takes
Issue With Liberal Senator
From Nova Scotia

OTTAWA, Jan. 11 (CP).—Hon. J. E. Michaud, Fisheries Minister, said today he saw no way in which his resignation, as suggested by Senator William Duff, could help bring about new trade treaties and tariff changes which the senator avowed were necessary to aid the fishing industry.

"There is no indication the Minister of Fisheries has been opposed to the adoption of such policies," said Mr. Michaud.

Mr. Michaud, in giving his reply to one issued by Senator Duff of Lunenburg, N.S., in which the senator suggested the resignation of the Fisheries Minister to give the Prime Minister "an opportunity to reorganize the Fisheries Department from the top down."

The senator termed the appointment of John Jensen, of New York, by the Dominion Salt Fish Board to investigate West Indies and Central American markets a proposition in which "there is utterly no sense."

Mr. Michaud, in giving his reply to the press, said the appointment of Jensen was a move toward obtaining improved merchandising methods and new markets for Canadian fish as an aid to primary producers.

LUNenburg, N.S., Jan. 11 (CP).—Senator William Duff last night suggested the resignation of Fisheries Minister Michaud to give the Prime Minister "an opportunity to reorganize the Fisheries Department from the top down." Senator Duff is a Liberal member of the Senate.

He said: "They are using the European War as an excuse for not considering new trade agreements at the very time when one of the principal efforts of the allied nations is to broaden their trade and to strengthen their economic position."

Senator Duff suggested "tariff arrangements" with Cuba and Dominica and "revamping" of the Canada-West Indies trade treaty as a means of alleviating the difficulties of the salt fish trade.

In an exchange of telegrams with the fisheries committee of the Lunenburg Board of Trade yesterday, Mr. Michaud said he noted: "Your opposition to the methods adopted by this department to further the marketing of salt fish under new conditions brought about by the European situation. Cannot agree that inaction is the best policy in the interests of our fishermen."

The committee, which had originally protested the appointment of Jensen, replied that it was "unaware of any new condition in territory named brought about by European aggression than others and has now entered Porto Rico and undersealing by substantial figures."

"Sales cannot be increased in existing markets without a price war in some cases and long overdue trade treaties in other cases. No marketing expert can help matters of this kind."

SPLINTERED PILING

SEATTLE, Jan. 11 (P).—The Seaford, new United States submarine, on a shakedown cruise, splintered a piling as she approached the Spokane Street terminal pier to moor after arrival from Portland today. The submarine was undamaged.

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CRUISE AMONG
GULF ISLANDSPalatial Yacht Has Been
Placed at Disposal of
Shantymen's Ass'n

On Tuesday morning next, the motorship *Eveline M.* will leave Victoria on a cruise among the Gulf Islands. Aboard her, in addition to Captain Maurice Troop, owner of the 114-foot ship, and Percy Willis, of the Shantymen's Association, there will be Rev. W. M. Robertson, of Metropolitan Tabernacle, Vancouver, who will lead the party; John Nicholson, soloist, Vancouver; and a group of twelve special young men workers from various churches. The *Eveline M.* will be away for two weeks, and the trip is sponsored by the Vancouver Island Branch of the Shantymen's Association.

The cruise among the Gulf Islands will follow the annual meeting of the Shantymen at the Y.W.C.A. next Monday evening, January 15. There will be a supper at 6:15 p.m., which is to be followed by an open meeting, starting at 8 p.m., to which the public is invited and will be welcomed. Reports of Shantymen's Association activities from various points of the Island will feature this public meeting.

The itinerary to be followed by the *Eveline M.* after she leaves Victoria will be as follows: Tuesday, January 16, Ganges; Wednesday, January 17, Sidney; Thursday, January 18, Saturna Island; Friday, January 19, Pender Island; Sunday, January 21, Duncan and Chemainus; Monday, January 22, Mayne Island; Tuesday, January 23, Galiano Island; Wednesday, January 24, Ladysmith; Thursday, January 25, Gabriola Island; Friday, January 26, Nanaimo.

The *Eveline M.* has been placed at the disposal of the Shantymen's Association by her owner, and at each place visited evangelistic services, with special music, will be conducted, and these will be preceded by short meetings for young people, at which, among other interesting items, will be shown a programme of pictures.

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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

Miss Millie Pendray and Mr. C. M. Clark Married

The Metropolitan United Church was the scene of a quiet wedding on Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock when Amelia Carlisle (Millie), third daughter of the late Mr. R. T. Pendray and Mrs. Pendray, 44 Linden Avenue, was united in marriage to Mr. Charles MacDonald Clark, second son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Clark, Winnipeg.

The bride was given in marriage by her uncle, Mr. Carl Pendray. She made a charming picture in a frock of rosebud pink crepe, made with a full skirt and bustle effect. She wore a turban of amethyst French felt with hand-made flowers of the same material caught at the back with a bow and streamers. Her accessories were of the same shade and her only ornament was an amethyst necklace, a family heirloom given to the bride by her grandmother, the late Mrs. W. J. Pendray. Her corsage bouquet was of gardenias and lily of the valley.

ONLY ATTENDANTS

Miss Betty Meharey was maid of honor, wearing an afternoon dress of sea-cloud grey with a decorative necklace of small pink flowers. Her black velvet turban was entwined with touches of pink velvet and her accessories were black. Her corsage bouquet was composed of pink roses. Mr. Allen Clark, brother of the groom, was best man. A reception was held at the home of the bride's mother, where the rooms were attractively decorated with chrysanthemums in a color scheme ranging from bronze to flame. The bride and groom were assisted in welcoming the guests by Mrs. Pendray, mother of the bride.

wearing a frock of moonbeam blue with black accessories and a pink rosebud corsage bouquet.

Refreshments were served from a prettily decorated table, centred by a silver basket of pink carnations and fern and tall pink tapers. The wedding cake was attractively decorated with pink rosebuds and silver leaves and tiny good-luck charms. Mrs. Carl Pendray and Mrs. Herbert J. Pendray, aunts of the bride, presided at the urns. Assisting in serving were Misses Lois and Patricia Pendray, sisters of the bride; Hazel Smith, Joan Duncan and Ruth Adams. Mr. Fred McGregor proposed the toast to the bride, to which the groom responded.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Allen Clark and Miss Lois Pendray, all of Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark left for Vancouver, the bride traveling in a wool frock of pinetree blue over which she wore a black seakink coat with black hat and accessories. They will make their home in Vancouver.

NEWFOUNDLAND SOCIETY

The social arranged by the Newfoundland Society for tomorrow at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Coles, 709 Belton Avenue, has been postponed until Monday, February 5, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Joyce, 1030 Caledonia Avenue.

Frankie—Please, Mrs. Smart, is Bobbie coming out to play?
Mrs. S.—No, Frankie, it's too wet.
Frankie—Well, is his football coming out then?

Were Married at St. Luke's



SERGEANT AND MRS. E. McMILLAN
Who Were Married Recently at St. Luke's Church, Cedar Hill. The Bride Was Formerly Miss Iona Bond.

Garden City Choir Elects President

Following their weekly choir practice, the annual meeting of the Garden City Choir was held, re-electing Mrs. M. Pebernati as president.

Mrs. Pebernati presided, and the various reports showed success in all their activities. In the absence of the secretary, Mrs. C. Alexander, her daughter, Mrs. M. Pebernati, acted as secretary.

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report was read by Miss Jean Scott, W. Fargiter, the treasurer, reported all obligations had been met and a credit balance remained. Final arrangements were made for the Easter music, the outstanding number being "Gethsemane," by Laraine. Two new members were welcomed, and the pastor expressed appreciation of the members' excellent support.

The officers for the coming year were then elected as follows: President, Mrs. M. Pebernati; secretary, Mrs. C. Alexander; treasurer, W. Fargiter; social convener, Mrs. J. Jones; music convener, A. P. Fryatt; librarian, Mrs. A. P. Brown; accompanist, Miss Elsie Fryatt; assistant pianist, Miss Jean Scott.

"Every age has believed itself at the last peak of human achievement, and every age has been wrong,"—Charles F. Kettering.

Social and Personal

Party for Bride-to-Be

Mrs. C. J. Mattie and Mrs. W. Johnston were hostesses last evening at a miscellaneous shower given at the home of Mrs. Mattie's mother, Mrs. Percy Wheeler, on Hillside Avenue, in honor of Miss Cathleen Gossell, whose marriage to Mr. John B. Wormald takes place shortly. Lovely chrysanthemums decorated the house, carrying out a pink and white color scheme. Upon her arrival, Miss Gossell received a corsage bouquet of pale pink chrysanthemums and ferns. Later a hat box, containing the pretty gifts and trimmed with pink crepe paper to represent a large rose, was presented to the bride-to-be. Games and contests were enjoyed and prizes were awarded to the winners. Mrs. E. Parkes presided when, at a down supper was served. A silver rose bowl filled with pink chrysanthemums and lighted by tall pink tapers in matching silver holders formed an attractive centerpiece for the supper table. The guests were Mesdames J. W. Wormald, A. Eales, Fred Fortin, Percy Wheeler, E. Parkes, O. Dunaway, J. Elliott, A. Duckworth, L. Fletcher, F. Thackray, F. Grimson, J. Knowles and Misses Helen Wheeler, Doris Swanson, Lillian Overton, E. Fletcher, Helen Thackray and Pamela Grimson.

Dinner at Royal Oak

The Victoria and Vancouver aldermen-camp to Hon. E. W. Hamber, Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia, were hosts at a charmingly arranged dinner party at The Royal Oak on Wednesday evening, in compliment to His Honor and Mrs. Hamber. Covers were laid for thirty-two at a long U-shaped table, which was decorated with silver bowls of vivid red carnations, and silver and crystal candlesticks with red tapers. An orchestra was in attendance, and after dinner, dancing was enjoyed.

Leave for Seattle

Mrs. J. O. Cameron and Mrs. E. W. Hetherington left yesterday afternoon for Seattle to see Eva Le Gallienne in the "The Master Builder" last night and "Hedda Gabler" tonight at the Metropolitan Theatre. On Saturday they will attend the opera concert of Jan Klepura, the Polish tenor. Mr. Cameron will return on Sunday with Mr. Cameron, who has been in Seattle on business.

Leaving for California

Mrs. R. C. Roberts has arrived from Crescent Beach and is spending a few days at the Wildermere Hotel. She will leave next week for La Jolla, Cal., where she will remain for the winter months and will be accompanied South by her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. O. Walcott, who will be her guest for a month.

Leave for South

Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Bell, of 740

Will Be "At Home"

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lutz, "Edge-wood," corner of Cedar Hill and Blenkinsop Road, will be "at home" to their friends on Saturday from 2 to 5 p.m., the occasion being their golden wedding day. They were married in Hamilton, Ontario, where they lived for a number of years, later spending twenty years in Edmonton before coming to Victoria about seven years ago.

Leave for Oregon

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Goward and their baby daughter, who have been visiting Mr. Goward's mother, Mrs. B. G. Goward, Arbutus Road, left yesterday for their home in Astoria, Oregon.

Leaves for Portland

Mrs. Anthony Adamson, who has been spending a few days at the Empress Hotel, returned to Portland yesterday afternoon. She and her husband are planning to return to Victoria.

Here from Winnipeg

Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Taylor, prominent residents of Winnipeg, have arrived to spend two months at the Oakbay Beach Hotel.

Back from Vancouver

Colonel L. G. Matterson is back in residence at the James Bay Hotel after spending the holiday season in Vancouver.

Returns to Mainland

Miss Jean Dobble, Vancouver, has returned to her home after being the guest of Mrs. George Wight, Richmond Avenue.

From Ontario

Mr. John Huff, Southampton, Ontario, is at present visiting at "Twin Alders," the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Temple, Langford Lake.

Leaves for Vancouver

Miss Sheena Smith, of "Craig-side," Langford Lake, left on Tuesday for Vancouver, where she will remain for some time.

ENGAGEMENTS

CROFT-DAY

Mr. and Mrs. J. Day, 560 Selkirk Avenue, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Vera Josephine, to Mr. John W. Croft, only son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Croft, 1121 Woodstock Avenue. The wedding will take place on January 15 at 1121 Woodstock Avenue at 8 p.m.

Goering—"It seems, my Leader, that many of the old German nobility are dying off."

Hitler—"Ja, von by von."

Women Draft Peace Prayer

TORONTO, Jan. 11 (CP)—In the hope of dispelling prejudice and hatred and bringing peace to the world, a group of Canadian women of all sects and representing all national organizations are urging a "call to prayer"—a moment set aside in the daily routine.

More than 300,000 prayer cards will be distributed across Canada printed in both English and French. And each day at noon it is hoped women will stop a moment in their homes, offices and gathering places to repeat the simple appeal in a concentrated effort to rebuild faith and peace in the world.

The prayer, patterned after one issued by the League for Service in England before war began, was drafted by a small group of women of Roman Catholic, Jewish and Protestant faiths here.

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"Auto Show Week" Draws Many to View 1940 Models—Showroom Doors Stay Open Late in The Evening—Public Impressed With Added Value in 1940 Models

"Auto Show Week" in Victoria has two more days to go. Tomorrow night the finale of the introductory showing of 1940 cars will be reached. Dealer showrooms have kept open until a late hour each evening in order to accommodate the hundreds of visitors who are eager to see and compare the new models. On all sides the opinion is expressed that there is more to see and greater value offered in this year's automobiles than ever before. Improvements and refinements of last year's achievements have been accomplished and many new features are introduced.

NEW NASH

Typical of the trend toward more beauty, roominess, comfort and operating efficiency in the 1940 cars is the Nash Lafayette line presented by the Burton & Williams Motors, Ltd. in their Blenheim Street showrooms. Not the least of the attractions in the lovely car are the sweeping lines and beautiful finish that is standard throughout the series.

One of the most outstanding features is the famous "Weather Eye" the amazing air conditioning unit that automatically prevents outside conditions from affecting the comfort inside the car. Let winter weather rage, the cold air is trapped, circulated and warmed to maintain a comfortable controlled temperature without stiffness. For summer driving, heat and dust is likewise excluded, the air coming in through a series of filters that keep it fresh and dust free and without drafts. Nash has brought this air-conditioning feature, in which the manufacturers pioneered, to a new peak of efficiency with this year's models.

RIDING COMFORT

Riding comfort is increased with the "Arrow-Flight Ride," the result of new springing, the combination of long synchronous springs and super-size shock absorbers together with soft, individual coil springing on the front wheels. Steering is easier and surer, with shorter turning radius possible.

The Nash is the only car to offer a seven-bearing crankshaft, a feature contributing to the smooth action of the powerful engine. The manifolds are cast in the block, eliminating all possibility of leakage and cutting parts to a minimum. Servicing the car under these conditions is far simpler. Full pressure lubrication is used. A Nash feature which has met with much approval is the "sleeping car," giving a six foot double bed which it is possible to make up without disturbing the seating arrangement. This is available on all sedans and is much improved this year.

1940 WILLYS

Much attention has been focused on the 1940 Willys, displayed by Masters Motors, Ltd. A full sized car in every sense, the Willys, nevertheless, has an amazing operating economy and a youthful dash appearance. The lines flow smoothly from the deep skirted streamlined front fenders to the stylish trunk at rear. Scientific engineering has given Willys a much more comfortable interior, beautifully finished. There is greater

headroom in the 1940 models and the upholstery is exceptionally outstanding. Bumper to bumper, the new Willys models are fourteen feet eleven inches and their height is five feet eight inches. They are capable of seventy-five miles per hour.

Victoria Officers Are Remembered

The presentation of the variety show "Rick-a-Dam-Do" at the Empire Theatre on January 17, under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary to the P.C.C.I., brings to mind the departure twenty-five years ago of the first detachment of P.C.C.I. men, in command of Captain Moorhead and the late Colonel J. S. Harvey, formerly of Knapp Island, whose wife and son, Mr. Robert D. Harvey, live in this city. Captain Harvey was in the city, also at the same time, and is one of the few original officers of the regiment still in Victoria.

The Auxiliary has borrowed the name of the regimental color "Rick-a-Dam-Do" for the title and theme of the concert, the first verse as sung by the "Pats" being as follows:

"Our Rick-a-Dam-Do
Pray what is that?
'Twas made at home
By Princess Pat.
It's red and gold
And royal blue
That's what we call our
Rick-a-Dam-Do."

MINERS IMPRISONED

DUBLIN, Jan. 11 (AP).—Ten miners who refused to account for their movements on the night of December 23, when the Phoenix Park Arsenal was raided, were ordered imprisoned today for from three to six months.

FALSE AND UNFOUNDED

OTTAWA, Jan. 11 (AP).—Henri St. Jacques, lawyer for Olivia Dionne, father of the Quintuplets, said tonight that as far as he knew reports the Quintuplets likely will appear at the New York World's Fair this year were "false and unfounded."

FOUND MANY DUPES

EDMONTON, Jan. 11 (AP).—Police said today they believed ninety-two merchants, doctors, real estate men, lawyers and others had been duped by two young men who visited Edmonton in November and October selling advertisements in a "railway employees' time book."

Assessment Roll In Oak Bay Well Above Last Year

AN increase of \$492,210 in the Oak Bay assessment roll this year over last was reported to the council at its meeting, yesterday by R. F. Blandy, assessor. The total land assessment this year was \$3,348,220, as compared with \$3,316,360, and the 1940 assessments on improvements totaled \$9,304,420, compared with \$8,844,070 in 1938.

C.P.R. HEADS ARE VISITING VICTORIA

H. F. Mathews, Montreal, General Manager of Hotels System, May Spend Week-End Here



H. F. MATHEWS

H. F. Mathews, general manager of the hotels system of the Canadian Pacific Railway, with headquarters in Montreal, arrived in Victoria yesterday on a routine tour of inspection. He was accompanied by T. E. Chester, assistant general manager of western hotels, with headquarters in Winnipeg.

Mr. Mathews, who was last in Victoria at the time when war was declared, came direct from Montreal, and will visit various hotels of the C.P.R. chain on the return journey. Registered at the Empress Hotel, he will probably remain here over the week-end.

Pioneer Lady of Quesnel Has Died

QUESNEL, Jan. 11 (CP).—Mrs. Janet Boyd, who came here in 1868 as a bride of sixteen, died at her home at Cottonwood House, twenty-one miles east of here. She is survived by four sons, Harry, Albert and Walter at home, and John in Vancouver; and two daughters, Mrs. Sommers, of Alberni, and Mrs. James Coreau, at home. Two sons, Archie and Chester, were killed in France during the Great War. Her husband died twenty-eight years ago. The funeral will take place from St. Andrew's United Church here on Sunday.

CANDIDATE CHOSEN

MARWAYNE Alta, Jan. 11 (CP).—A. Peterson, of Frog Lake, was chosen as an independent candidate in Alexandra riding for the next Alberta general election at a convention here last night.

PRISON WORK IS DESCRIBED

Colonel John Habkirk, Salvation Army, Asks for Deterrent to Crime

An appeal to give young boys and girls a chance for a proper education, supervised playground facilities, etc., to abolish the necessity of curbing criminal tendencies in later life was made by Colonel John Habkirk, of the Salvation Army, at the Rotary Club luncheon in the Empress Hotel, yesterday. Colonel Habkirk, now retired, was associated with prison life in the United States and Canada for the past fourteen years.

With headquarters in Chicago, Colonel Habkirk operated in prisons throughout eleven states. He said that prison control should be taken out of politics, and also suggested some course of training for wardens, deputies and guards, for crime was more or less of a disease, he said, and officials needed training to realize this.

EDUCATIONAL SYSTEM

However, he stated that in many of the large prisons things were being done to help the men committed to them. Fine school systems were in operation behind the bars, some of the courses even embodying high school work.

Necessity of a vocation for the young man upon his dismissal from prison was also stressed. "Ninety-eight per cent of the men committed to prison come out again," he stated, "and if they don't come out better, we have failed."

Colonel Habkirk declared that it should be out of the judge's power just how long a man spent in prison. The convict's reaction to prison should be the deciding factor. Referring to punishment, he said that it was the application that was important, adding that in some cases it should be more severe and more certain. Colonel Habkirk also spoke of the beneficial effects of revival meetings and Bible study groups in several of the large prisons.

The speaker was introduced by A. R. Frewing and thanked by Walter Loney, president.

P.-T.A. Activities

QUADRA The executive and social committee of the Quadra Association met at the home of the president, Mrs. A. J. Stevenson, on Tuesday, when final arrangements for the fifth annual reunion to be held on Friday, February 2, in the school auditorium were made. Supper will be served by the social committee and soft drinks and ice cream will be sold. Cards and games will be played by those not wishing to dance. Tickets may be obtained from members.

JAMES RAY

The James Ray Association met on Tuesday in the auditorium of South Park School. Mrs. E. Day, the president, was in the chair. Plans were made for the reunion dance to be held in March, at South Park School. Invitations will be issued to ex-pupils and their friends only. It was decided to hold a social and table decoration contest for the girls of Grade 8 at Easter. The movie projector purchased by the association will be in use at the school next week. At the close of the meeting games and contests were enjoyed. Prize winners were Mrs. Sheriff, Miss Pollock, Messrs. F. G. Mulliner and K. Ross. Refreshments were served.

OAKLANDS

The study group of Oaklands Association met on Tuesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. W. G. Frampton, 2737 Roseberry Avenue, the subject being "Alliances and Money Management." Papers were read by the members and a general discussion followed. Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 23, at the home of Mrs. Brown, 1746 Carrick Street, at 2:30 p.m.

MT. DOUGLAS

The January meeting of the Mount Douglas Association was held in the school auditorium, on Tuesday evening, and a large and appreciative audience heard the talk given by Very Rev. Dean S. H. Elliott, entitled "A Broad View of Education." Defining education as the training that will enable man to make the best use of his life while earning a living or when it has been earned, he stressed the idea that education kept one's life from becoming narrow and enabled him to take deeper interest in his work and lives of others. He explained the uses of the various branches of a scholastic education, particularly those leading towards clear thinking. A thorough knowledge of the Bible was an essential for an educated person, said the dean, covering as it did such a wide historical background. A warm vote of thanks to the speaker was moved by Mr. Rowebotham, the meeting also expressing a wish for an early return visit by the dean. The meeting then adjourned and a social period was enjoyed.

Women's Institutes

BRENTWOOD

The Brentwood Institute held its monthly meeting on Tuesday afternoon at the Institute Hall, Brentwood Bay, Mrs. T. Haddon presiding. The secretary read a very good report of the year's work, also a satisfactory financial report. The meeting decided to send the per capita tax. A bridge party will be held on

Tuesday afternoon, January 16, at the hall. Arrangements were made to hold the annual banquet for members and their families at the hall on Friday, February 2, at 6:30 p.m. Mrs. W. Ballantyne and Mrs. S. Shiner are in charge. The following committees were appointed: Sewing, Mrs. A. R. Anderson and Mrs. S. Shiner; visiting, Mrs. G. Smith and Mrs. T. Haddon; school, Mrs. Francis and Mrs. W. Ballantyne; social, Mrs. T. Haddon; home economics, Mrs. A. R. Anderson and

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Cut Green Beans, Tenger's, 17-oz. tin	3 for 28c	PEANUT BUTTER, Squirrel, 1 1/2 lb. per tin	13c
Peas, Orchard City, size 5's, 17-oz. tin	3 for 25c	Apples, Lynn Valley, 12-oz. tin	2 for 23c
Strawberry Jam, Asimier, 4-1/2 lb. tin	49c	Peas, Lynn Valley, 12-oz. tin	2 for 27c
Longhorn, Royal City, 12-oz. tin	2 for 25c	Phonopie, Crawford's, Sliced, Canned and Crushed	3 tin 25c
Roasted Peas, Asimier, 12-oz. tin	13c	Grainfruit Juices, Tropical Gold, 13-oz. tin	3 for 20c
Pineapple Juice, Libby's, 12-oz. tin	2 for 19c	Crab Meat, Oceanic (Cape), 10-oz. per tin	21c
Sauces, Horshoe, 1 1/2 lb. per tin	19c	Meat Balls or Rolled Dinner, Jiffy, 10-oz. tin	3 tin 26c
Shrimps, Binks, Wet or Dry, tin	15c	Soap, Asimier, Tomato or Vegetable, 3 tin 23c	
Sweet Cherries, Ideal, 27-oz. Jar	24c	Cocoa, Cavan's, 1-lb. tin	25c
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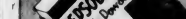
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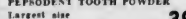
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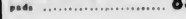
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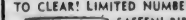
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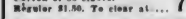
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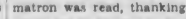
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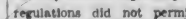
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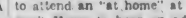
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COMING BOUT IS HELD UP

New York Commission Frowns at Idea of Galento-Baer Battle

NEW YORK, Jan. 11 (AP)—The New York State Athletic Commission gave its blessing and a slap in the face to the Tony Galento-Max Baer fight bout in ten minutes of merry-go-round action yesterday.

They first said they would approve a March 4 Galento-Baer battle here for the joint benefit of the infantile paralytic and Finnish relief funds.

Then the astute fathers turned right around and flatly refused to reinstate Joe Jacobs, Galento's manager, whose licence was revoked last fall. Galento, at present, also is without a licence to box in this state, but the commissioners said they would grant him a permit to tangle with California Max.

The commission said it would take no action on Joe Jacobs' case "at the present time."

Jacobs repeated previous statements that Galento would refuse to fight in New York unless Joe was in his corner.

Thus the bout, as far as New York was concerned, is "out," at least temporarily. Promoter Mike Jacobs was optimistic that some way might be worked out to keep it here.

Juvenile Football

Juvenile soccer teams will play two league matches and a friendly game tomorrow, according to the draw announced last night by Secretary Peers.

The programme follows:

10:30—George Aces vs. St. Louis College, Hampton Road.

10:30—Pro-Recs vs. Esquimalt Mount Market, Central Park.

2:30—Maple Leafs vs. Navy, Central Park; referee, Peers.

At the Theatres

"REMEMBER?" AT DOMINION TODAY

Robert Taylor and Greer Garson Co-Star in Romantic Comedy Of Modern Marriage

One of the most palatial estates in America is maintained on a movie lot. Perfectly appointed, it covers two acres of landscaped grounds, with flower gardens, a swimming pool, barbecue pit, stables and all the conveniences of a millionaire's home.

The estate will be seen as one of the colorful backdrops in "Remember?" romantic comedy of modern married life, starring Robert Taylor and Greer Garson, which will open today at the Dominion Theatre.

CADET Enough wind to wreck theatre an ocean liner and enough water to float it were expended in filming the hurricane scenes in Universal's John M. Stahl production, "When Tomorrow Comes," now showing at the Capitol Theatre starring Irene Dunne and Charles Boyer.

CAPITOL "The Private Lives of Elizabeth and Essex," starring Bette Davis and Errol Flynn in their new Technicolor co-starring film, is featured for the last time today at the Capitol Theatre. The supporting cast is headed by such players as Olivia de Havilland, Alan Hale and Donald Crisp.

OAK BAY Kay Francis, who began her screen career in "beauty" roles but soon became a film heroine, reverts to her original forte as a mercenary and crafty wife in "In Name Only," which is now featured at the Oak Bay Theatre. Carole Lombard and Cary Grant share stellar honors with Miss Francis.

PLAZA "The Real Glory," which will end today at the Plaza Theatre, stars Gary Cooper in a story of the Philippine-Insurrection in 1906. Andrea Leeds and David Niven head the

NET TOURNNEY AT NANAIMO

Mid-Island Championships Billed January 25, 26 And 27

Sponsored by the Nanaimo Badminton Club, the annual Mid-Island shuttle championships will be played at the Nanaimo school gymnasium, January 25, 26 and 27, according to an announcement made yesterday by Miss Margaret Addison, club secretary.

One of the most popular meets on the island, the tournament attracts a splendid entry, including many outstanding netters from the British Columbia Mainland and Victoria. Preceding the Vancouver Island championships at Victoria by one week, the Mid-Island events will enable the competitors to get in considerable play before the tourney in the British Columbia capital. Entries will close on January 22 and should be filed with Miss Margaret Addison, 36 Wesley Street, Nanaimo.

Eric Loney, veteran Duncan netter, is the holder of the men's singles crown, and Miss Joyce Thompson, Brentwood ace, is the women's titleholder. Now in training as a nurse, Miss Thompson did not defend her Victoria city crown this season, and it is doubtful if she will play at Nanaimo.

George Lane, Victoria, and Eric Loney, Duncan, are holders of the men's doubles championship, and Misses Eleanor Young and Vess O'Shea, Vancouver, duo, are women's champions. The mixed crown is held by Mrs. G. Lomas and Eric Loney, Duncan combination.

PORTLAND BEATS SEATTLE ICEMEN

SEATTLE, Jan. 11 (AP)—Coming from behind a 2-0 handicap, Portland defeated Seattle, 5-3, in an overtime hockey game here to move into a first-place tie with Vancouver in the Pacific Coast Hockey League race.

SUMMARY

First Period—No scoring. Penalties: Taylor, Conn.

Second Period—1, Seattle, King (Daley, Rylby), 5:42; 2, Seattle, King (Daley), 8:55. Penalties: King and Ouellette (five minutes each for fighting).

Third Period—3, Portland, Sutherland, 1:07; 4, Portland, Scharf (Conn), 3:33; 5, Seattle, King, 7:21; 6, Portland, Martin (Scharf, Holmes), 15:47. Penalties: Holmes, McAdam.

Overtime Period

7, Portland, Holmes (McAdam), 7:03; 8, Portland, Scharf, 7:25. Penalty: Kenny.

COLWOOD WINNERS

Mrs. James Macfarlane headed the field in the medal competition held at the Colwood Golf Club yesterday with a card of 94-11—83, while Mrs. James Macfarlane was the winner of the December par competition, finishing her round four down.

AMUSEMENTS

On the Screen

Atlas—Charles Laughton in "Jamaica Inn."

CADET—"When Tomorrow Comes," featuring Charles Boyer.

Capitol—"The Private Lives of Elizabeth and Essex," starring Bette Davis.

Dominion—Robert Taylor in "Remember."

Oak Bay—"In Name Only," starring Carole Lombard.

Plaza—"The Real Glory," starring Gary Cooper.

Rio—George O'Brien in "The Fighting Gringo."

supporting cast, which includes Broderick Crawford, Reginald Owen and Kay Johnson.

RIO George O'Brien's current outdoor drama, "The Fighting Gringo," now featured at the Rio Theatre, shows the unscrupulous and underhanded methods employed by land thieves of sixty years ago in forcing owners of Spanish grants, who failed to register their property with the Government, to abandon their land.

"JAMAICA INN" IS COMING TO ATLAS

Daphne du Maurier's Fascinating Novel Stars Charles Laughton And Strong Cast

"Jamaica Inn," the Paramount motion picture based on Daphne du Maurier's fascinating novel, flips back the pages of history to this epoch, to tell a story of intrigue, adventure, romance and mystery.

This picture, which will start today at the Atlas Theatre, reveals Charles Laughton in another of his extraordinary portrayals, introduces a new screen beauty, Maureen O'Hara, in a cast featuring Leslie Banks, Robert Newton and Ennys Williams.

SOOKE, ROOKIE'S CAPTURE GAMES

A pair of one-sided victories were posted in the Saanich and Suburban Basketball League in the Royal Oak Hall. Playing in the women's division, the Rookies trimmed Sooke, 42-15, while Royal Oak proved no match for the visiting Sooke men and dropped a 60-20 verdict.

Marion Kennedy was the top scorer for Whyte's Rookies with eighteen points opposite her name, while Norma Sloth headed Sooke with just half that number.

Gains and Lorimer capped fifteen points each and Dods got ten and McKenzie eleven in Sooke's decisive victory. Mitchell topped Royal Oak with eight points.

Scores follow:

Sooke: Cains (15), Dods (10), Lorimer (15), Duncan (9) and McKenzie (11).

Royal Oak: Sytan (4), Rankin (2), Quayle (2), Mitchell (8), Hodson (2), Turner, H. Hodson and Perrie (2).

SANTA ANITA RACING

SANTA ANITA, Jan. 11—Results here today follow:

FIRST RACE—Three furlongs: My Happy (James), \$7.00 \$4.00 \$3.00; Stella Gold (Chinaman), \$2.00 \$1.00 \$1.00; Vocalist (Nevins), \$2.00 \$1.00 \$1.00; Time, 1:18.3-5. Also ran: My Right, My Left, Snow Fleet, Portia Baby, Lark, Herod, Phosphor, Star, Valida, Valida, Val, Pilot, Gal, Winsome, Bell, Doll Baby.

SECOND RACE

One mile: Prince Bow (Dobson), \$7.00 \$4.00 \$3.00; The Harp (Robison), \$2.00 \$1.00 \$1.00; Time, 1:40.3-5. Also ran: Ben Chanter, Dancer, Star, Valida, Val, Pilot, Gal, Winsome, Bell, Doll Baby.

THIRD RACE

Six furlongs: Old Whiff (James), \$8.00 \$5.00 \$4.00; Gino (Nevins), \$2.00 \$1.00 \$1.00; Hard Blunt (Dew), \$2.00 \$1.00 \$1.00; Time, 1:18.3-5. Also ran: Royal, Dear, Valida, Star, Valida, Val, Pilot, Gal, Winsome, Bell, Doll Baby.

FOURTH RACE

One mile: Tommy Whelan (Adams), \$10.00 \$6.00 \$5.00; Gino (Nevins), \$2.00 \$1.00 \$1.00; Time, 1:40.3-5. Also ran: Ben Chanter, Dancer, Star, Valida, Val, Pilot, Gal, Winsome, Bell, Doll Baby.

FIFTH RACE

One mile: Tommy Whelan (Adams), \$10.00 \$6.00 \$5.00; Gino (Nevins), \$2.00 \$1.00 \$1.00; Time, 1:40.3-5. Also ran: Ben Chanter, Dancer, Star, Valida, Val, Pilot, Gal, Winsome, Bell, Doll Baby.

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Special Meeting Of Local Crews

A special meeting of the J.B.A.A. crewmen will be held in the club's headquarters on the evening of January 15 at 7:30. All members are asked to attend as important business will be brought up for discussion. Plans for the opening meet of the season will be dealt with.

LARKS DEFEAT SPENCER SIDE

Regain Winning Form by Turning In Easy Table Tennis Win

Little Larks, defeated for the first time this season last week, came back strong last night in the Second Division of the City Table Tennis League and gained a 25-11 decision over Spencers. Aces registered a 22-14 victory over the Savages and Royal Arcanum routed Young's Cafe by the one-sided score of 28-8 in the third match run off during the evening.

Results follow:

Royal Arcanum—McKenzie 8, Sneddon 6, Pretty 5, Ricketts 7; McKenzie and Sneddon 0, Pretty and Ricketts 2.

Young's Cafe—Mrs. Robinson 0, Mrs. Greenwood 4, J. Jarvis 2, M. Jarvis 0; Robinson and Greenwood 1, Jarvis and Jarvis 1.

Spencers—Payne 1, R. Payne 2, K. Elston 0, W. Cotton 8; Payne and Payne 0, Elston and Cotton 0.

Little Larks—W. Prior 6, D. Elworthy 4, D. Campbell 6, W. McGregor 5; Prior and Elworthy 2, Campbell and McGregor 2.

Aces—S. Gagliardi 6, E. Stewart 6, L. Haut 3, R. Peabbles 6; Gagliardi and Stewart 1, Haut and Peabbles 0.

OFFICERS NAMED BY CHESS CLUB

The annual meeting of the City Chess Club was held recently at the clubrooms, 1118 Langley Street, when officers for the coming season were elected. There was a good attendance of members and many important discussions were held during the evening.

The complete slate of officers follows: President, F. Strathol; vice-president, E. A. Robinson; captain, A. G. Moody; treasurer, A. G. Moody; secretary, W. B. Christopher; executive committee, E. L. McMicking and N. R. Stewart.

Play in the city championship will be resumed this evening at the clubrooms, with the following: T. Kay vs. A. G. Hurst; F. Strathol vs. A. Paget; S. Turner vs. F. W. Plant.

CLARK SHAUGHNESSY IS SELECTED COACH

PALO ALTO, Cal., Jan. 11 (AP)—Appointment of Clark D. Shaughnessy, forty-seven, of Chicago, as football director for five years, was announced today by President Ray Lyman Wilbur of Stanford University. Shaughnessy succeeds Claude E. "Tiny" Thornhill, recently dismissed.

HOCKEY STANDINGS

O.H.A. JUNIOR "A"
Toronto Marlboros 3, Guelph 3 overtime tie.

QUEBEC PROVINCIAL SENIOR
Valleyfield 2, Boston 2, overtime tie.

OTTAWA SENIOR
Hull Volants 5, Air Force 3.

MANITOBA JUNIOR
Winnipeg Monarchs 4, Brandon 3.

SASKATCHEWAN SENIOR
Yorkton 7, Moose Jaw 4.

Shop Is Entered At Port Alberni

PORT ALBERNI, Jan. 11—An attempt was made to break into the local branch of the Government liquor store some time last night. A side window had been smashed in and an effort made to pry loose the iron bars. When this was unsuccessful the culprit evidently gave up.

Fred Weaver reported entrance had been made to his store by a rear window and a check up of the stock showed that the burglar had taken a pair of shoes, an overcoat and other apparel was stolen and a small amount of cash removed from the open drawer of the cash register.

ESQUIMALT'S LINE-UP

Esquimalt's team for tomorrow's match in the Victoria and District Football League will be chosen from the following: Harbison, Elliott, Joe Watt, March, Thomas, E. Barnwell, Dods, A. Stewart, John Watt, J. Stewart, Ross, B. Barnwell, Robinson, Cockill and Sharpman.

The two were to have fought in a charity bout here January 3, but the match was postponed because of insufficient ticket sales.

Canadas told the commission he still wants to hold a match for the benefit of the Canadian Red Cross, but his application was tabled. Commissioners told Canadas the fight would have to be "good" and insure the Red Cross considerable returns before they would sanction them.

DEAN WANTS BIG SALARY

Chicago Pitcher Demanding \$15,000 for Coming Season From Cubs

CHICAGO, Jan. 11 (AP)—Dizzy Dean's 1940 contract with Chicago Cubs, of the National Baseball League, arrived at the Cubs' office today with no signature on the dotted line.

Instead, Dean sent from Dallas, Tex., a note to Phil K. Wrigley, owner of the team, which said: "I realize I haven't been much help to the club the last two years but I still think the cut is too big. However, I'm sure we can adjust things and I'll be all set for spring training on time."

Dean reported to have received \$20,500 last season, was offered half as much as the result of winning only six games in 1939. Charles Drake, assistant to Wrigley, said Dean wants \$15,000. Drake indicated Wrigley would give consideration to Dean's request soon.

FAIR GROUNDS RACING

FAIR GROUNDS, Jan. 11—Results here today follow:

FIRST RACE—Five furlongs: Good Gosh (Taylor), \$7.00 \$4.00 \$3.00; Bullfinch (Dobson), \$2.00 \$1.00 \$1.00; Time, 1:02.3-5. Also ran: Victor March, Copin, Anahis Girl, Interfer, Manaline.

SECOND RACE

Five and one-half furlongs: Fairman (Yarling), \$23.00 \$15.00 \$10.00; Nore (Burluck), \$2.00 \$1.00 \$1.00; Time, 1:08.3-5. Also ran: Miss Revell, Hodi, sis Waterfall, Weedie, Wilda Girl, Pleading Moon, Ullerville, Dorothy Aeneas, Grand Rena.

THIRD RACE

Five and one-half furlongs: Hot Iron (Clark), \$11.40 \$6.40 \$4.40; Apollon (Boren), \$4.00 \$2.40 \$1.40; Miss Moran (Pool), \$2.40 \$1.40 \$1.40; Time, 1:02.3-5. Also ran: Marlin, The Chipper, Little Ace, Canis, Hodge, Typical, Peers Advice, Southern Draw, Letain.

FOURTH RACE

Five and one-half furlongs: Brilliant Home (O. Oros), \$7.20 \$4.40 \$3.20; Billy Kelly (Grill), \$4.00 \$2.40 \$1.40; Time, 1:08.3-5. Also ran: Nobis Scott, Set, Pat, Stella Mr. James, Bidout.

FIFTH RACE

Five and one-half furlongs: Seventh Jinn (Cousin), \$8.00 \$5.00 \$3.00; French Jack (O. Oros), \$6.00 \$3.40 \$2.40; Time, 1:09.3-5. Also ran: Down Payment, Shaw, Easterner, Indisputant.

SIXTH RACE

Six furlongs: Norman Boat (Gonzales), \$12.40 \$6.40 \$4.40; Quirley Inn (Taylor), \$2.00 \$1.00 \$1.00; Bluebird (O. Oros), \$2.00 \$1.00 \$1.00; Time, 1:16.3-5. Also ran: White Cockade, Bel Esprit (McAdams), 4:20.

SEVENTH RACE

Five and one-half furlongs: General Boy (Gonzales), \$8.00 \$4.00 \$2.00; Bel Esprit (McAdams), \$4.00 \$2.00 \$1.00; Time, 1:09.3-5. Also ran: Deep Rock, Grappa Vine, Wee Wee, Circle Beauty, Indiana Rex, Brown Corner, Captain Logan, Winston.

EIGHTH RACE

Five and one-half furlongs: Honky Bird (Gonzales), \$10.00 \$5.00 \$3.00; Honky Bird (Gonzales), \$10.00 \$5.00 \$3.00; Time, 1:09.3-5. Also ran: Honky Bird (Gonzales), \$10.00 \$5.00 \$3.00.

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FIGHT FOR LOVE

CHAPTER XXVII

Clifford was a good companion. He kept up a running fire of lively chatter as they walked to the theater. It was evident he was pleased to have found an opportunity to break through Star's reserve.

"I hope you won't think me a nuisance," he said. "But it is true that you are not engaged or married or anything?"

"Does it matter?"

"In other words, it's none of my business. All right, beautiful, I get it, but since you've accepted my invitation for tonight, I may understand that you are free to accept others."

This was so different from anything Star had been used to that she was confused. She felt he must be teasing her. It couldn't really matter so much as he was pretending. But it was fun. She had been too serious all her life, she decided, replying demurely, "Why don't you try it and see?"

"Don't think I won't," he retorted. He had no idea that this was the first time she had ever gone to a movie with a boy. Bob had taken her dancing, but their romance had been so brief it seemed like a dream, looking back upon it. Later they stopped at a soda fountain, lining up on the tall stools with other young people as Star had always secretly longed to do. Laughing at nothing, gay for no reason. Conscious of the admiration which burned like a steady flame in her companion's eyes.

But when he attempted to kiss her good night she evaded him by opening the door and slipping inside.

"All right," he said, following her. "You win. But eventually."

"Good night," Star smiled, holding out her hand. "And thank you for a lovely evening."

It had been lovely, she reflected as she prepared for bed, and she slept undisturbed by those former troubling visions of Milton Wood. The next day his secretary had returned to work and Star told herself it might be months before he would see him again. By that time she would be cured.

And now as a reward for her sensible attitude, life at the boarding house began to assume a new importance. Encouraged by the fact that she had gone out with Clifford, two of the other boys asked for a date. The girls, recognizing a rival who must be reckoned with, began to include her in their plans for week-ends. If Star was going it would be easier to secure the necessary number of escorts. Her shy friendliness and utter lack of coquetry won favor. While girls of her acquaintance were never to feel completely at ease with her, they dared not disregard her, nor could they dislike a girl so obviously unconscious of her power.

It was the beginning of a period such as most girls take for granted but which until now had been unknown to Star. Picnics and swimming parties, long drives to open dancing pavilions where the lessons

Mamie had forced her to take were at last of some use. Star did not know how to swim but she had no fear and soon learned.

Her days at the office passed quickly. She hurried home to bathe and dress for the lazy summer evenings and tumbled into bed too healthily tired to dream. Laughter began to bubble up in her heart like a little fountain. Reserved as always about her past, she appreciated this careless comradeship more highly because she had had none of it before.

She played no favorites but the race settled down to Clifford Payne and Bruce Donovan. They were firm friends and the three of them became inseparable. Calling themselves "The Three Musketeers," they were in constant demand had made all their plans together. No wonder that Star's face became happier. Her worries seemed to be over and an occasional twinge about Mamie failed to disturb her. Until that day when fate, which could never let her alone for long, crashed into her life again.

The crowd had driven to the country and were returning early on Sunday morning, weary after an evening of dancing. Star and Clifford were riding in Bruce's car. Star was sitting between the two boys with Clifford's arm about her shoulders, humming the music which was still running through her head, when a truck they had passed dashed by at a speed which made Bruce shout, "What's the rush?"

"Must be drunk," Clifford commented.

(To Be Continued)

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YOUR LIVER HAS MANY JOBS TO DO

For a number of years I wrote about the liver almost once a month because it is rightly called the "king of the organs." I tried to point out how the liver filtered poisons out of the blood, helped to make blood, manufactured bile which is a natural purgative, and stored sugar for future use. I tried to point out also that if anything interfered with any of these jobs done by the liver, the whole body would suffer.

As we think of the heart we realize that it has but one job—pumping the blood—the stomach rolls the food around so it can mix with the stomach digestive juice, the kidneys take wastes out of the blood and pass them down in the urine to the bladder, the small intestine absorbs nourishment from the food and passes it into the blood stream. That is, every organ has one or two jobs to do. Dr. Robert G. Contrell, Englewood, N.J., in Clinical Medicine and Surgery says:

"Not so with the liver, for there is hardly a part of the body that is not directly or indirectly affected

by the functioning or working of this large gland."

"It is conservatively stated that the liver has from sixty to one hundred distinct activities, and that every other important system—circulation, digestive, nervous and others—is definitely influenced by the activities of the liver."

All the blood from the digestive apparatus—stomach and intestine—is carried to the liver to be filtered and cleared of harmful substances before it goes back to the heart to be sent to lungs and thence to the heart to be sent to all parts of the body. The blood must not only get rid of carbon dioxide and be enriched with oxygen by means of the lungs, but before it can do all its work of building and maintaining the various tissues, it is made fit by the liver to destroy harmful products in other fluids of the body.

It has long been said that life depends upon the liver; it might well be said that "your everyday health depends on the liver."

Generally speaking, the liver processes can be kept "more active" by bending exercises, keeping the knees straight and by deep breathing exercises. In those who cannot exercise, the physician can prescribe some safe and helpful preparations to make liver cells more active.

WILL BE ALLOWED TO TRADE IN SECURITIES

OTTAWA, Jan. 11 (CP).—Thousands of American citizens will be affected by the revised regulation of the Foreign Exchange Control Board which will enable foreigners with assets in Canada to use these assets freely to buy and sell Canadian securities, board officials stated.

Because of war needs, one of the first acts of the board was to prevent withdrawal of foreign-owned investments from this country. Steps were soon taken, however, to enable American citizens to take out of the country any earnings from these investments.

LAWRENCE TIBBETT ILL.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 11 (CP).—Lawrence Tibbett, Metropolitan Opera baritone, is under a physician's care for acute laryngitis and has canceled a concert appearance.

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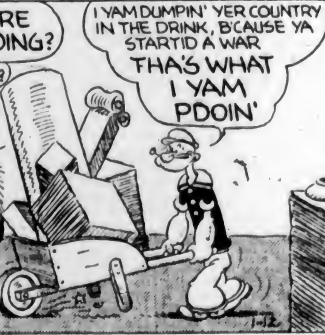
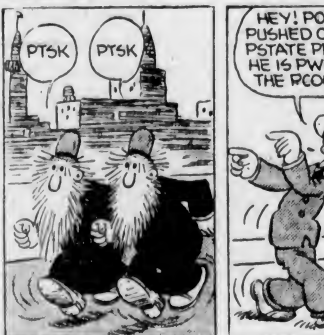
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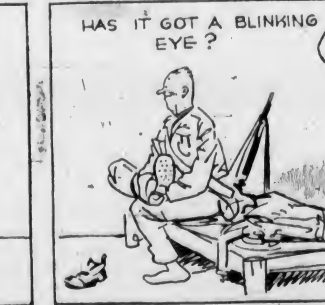
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A lovely home of seven rooms, commanding a gorgeous view of the Olympic Mountains. Large living-room, dining-room, den, one bedroom downstairs, two up with sleeping porch. Hardwood floors, hot-water heating. Surrounded by nice trees. Only reason for selling too late for present owner. Price, \$7000.

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Good building lot, close to Gore Road, size 11 ft. x 117 ft. surrounded by nice trees. Price, \$200.

PORTAGE INLET

Building site with water-frontage, close to Admirals Road, size 11 ft. x 117 ft. surrounded by nice trees. Price, \$550.

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Nearly half an acre land with about 80 ft. lake frontage. Five-roomed bungalow, open fireplace, full basement, 3-piece bathroom, electric light, garage, etc. Built for a permanent residence. Price, \$2650.

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About two acres first-class land, four-roomed stucco bungalow, part cement basement, open fireplace, furnace, small conservatory, 3-piece bathroom, garage, fruit trees, etc. Really a choice little commercial proposition. Price, \$3000.

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Wanted

We have a client who will pay cash for revenue-producing houses or old properties suitable for conversion.

Immediate Inspection

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Five-room stucco bungalow, two bedrooms, good-sized kitchen, full basement, new roof, extra, home, new furniture included in the price. Taxes less than 15 per cent. Discount for cash. \$2000

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SEAFRONT HOME, 3 1/2 ACRES, on sheltered harbor, 25 miles from Victoria. Substantial six-room house, furnished, water by gravity. The grounds are timbered, with an exceptionally fine garden around the house. Owner leaving on Government service makes a huge sacrifice when offering this beautiful property for sale at \$17500 (cash).

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120 ACRES, ABOUT 20 CULTIVATED, balance rough pasture and timber. Seven-room house and two barns and outbuildings. Taxes \$25. This is a good farm, close to school and bus line at \$25000.

CLOSE IN

PACIFIC PARK, WELL-BUILT FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW, sacrifice price. This property to be sold. First time offered. Price, \$1575.

HIGH POSITION

FIVE-ROOM CEDAR-SIDING BUNGALOW, oak floors, basement, furnace, two sets of plumbing. Sacrifice price, \$2750.

INVESTMENTS

\$25,000 to \$100,000

We have a number of sound business investments, including shares in various companies. We will be pleased to call and discuss the matter with interested parties.

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A lovely location amidst the oaks and pines, close to school and bus line. Down and two up. Bit high up. Good view of Oak Bay. Double lot. Exclusive neighborhood. Price on application.

ROCKLAND AVENUE DISTRICT—High

ground, built on cleared oak trees. Four-room bungalow, open fireplace, full basement, two bedrooms and bathroom down, two bedrooms and bathroom up. Price, \$4450.

BUY A ONE OAK BAY

residence, the replacement cost of which would be in the twenty-five thousand dollar class. There are eight rooms besides the quarters. Dated in 1935. Price, \$5000.

FRUIT FARM—Five acres

and very well laid out with the best of fruit trees and a fine view of the bay. Price, \$2250.

VIEW UNPARALLELED

and very high. Six acres and a six-roomed house. Location for more particulars. Price, \$1950.

FOR SALE IN PARCELS

in all, 28 acres approx. on Broad's Road, near the East Beach Road. Price of \$5000.

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FOUR-ROOMED BUNGALOW, basement, furnace, good lot. Low taxes. Near park and car. Price, \$11400.

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New 3-room stucco bungalow, tile sink, fireplace in living-room and 3-piece bath. Desirable lot of ground with good view overlooking water.

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Five-room bungalow in perfect condition. Full basement, furnace, garage. Would trade for a good lot in Oak Bay district, or sell.

Price, \$2200

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In Absolutely Perfect Condition

With 1500 cash and balance. Polished lot, fine lot. Bitter room, full basement, furnace, garage, sacrifice price. No one else needed on this fine home, and a real buy at price paid.

OAK BAY

Terms, Large 6-room bungalow, one floor, full basement, hot-water heating, garage, sacrifice price, south of the city. This is a perfect condition, and real value at price paid.

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NABOB JELLY POWDERS, all flavors, 2 pkts.	9c	SPENCER'S JELLY POWDER, nothing nicer, per pkt.	5c
JELL-O, all flavors, 3 pkts.	17c	CANADA CORN STARCH, per pkt.	9c
SPENCER'S TEA AND COFFEE			
QUALITY TEA, per lb.	45c	FLOUR PRICES	
FRESH-ROASTED COFFEE, per lb.	35c	FIVE ROSES, MAPLE LEAF or ROYAL HOUSEHOLD	
RICH FAMILY TEA, per lb.	60c	49-lb. sack	\$1.39
BREAKFAST BLEND TEA, per lb.	48c	24-lb. sack	75c
R. & K. OR OGLIVIE'S QUICK OATS, large pkt.	13c	McKAY'S CREAM OF BARLEY, 20-oz. pkt.	22c
KELLOGG'S ALL-BRAN, large pkt.	19c	MAPLE LEAF FARINA, 24-oz. pkt.	17c
U-NEED-ME WHEAT GEMS, per pkt.	35c	ROBIN HOOD QUICK OATS, 6-lb. bag	28c
GRAPE-NUTS, 2 pkts.	17c	FETTERLITE PANCAKE FLOUR, per pkt.	11c
SUGAR-KRISP CORN FLAKES, per pkt.	7c	KELLOGG'S RICE KRISPIES, per pkt.	11c
AUSTRALIAN PASTRY FLOUR			
10-lb. cotton sack	31c	5-lb. cotton sack	17c
SWEETENED WHEAT BISCUITS, per pkt.	10c	R. & K. OATMEAL, coarse, medium or fine, 5-lb. sack	28c
POLLY PRIM DICED BEETS, 16½-oz. tins	3 for 25c	JAMESON'S TEA, 1-lb. pkt.	55c
METCALFE TOMATOES, large tin	10c	JAMESON'S COFFEE, 1-lb. pkt.	48c
COUNTRY CLUB TOMATOES, 2½ sq. tins	25c	CHEF BAKING POWDER, 12-oz. tin	15c
COUNTRY KIST CORN, 3 tins	25c	NABOB PURE STRAWBERRY JAM, 4-lb. tin	45c
LUNCHEON GREEN BEANS, 3 tins	25c	COLUMBIA PURE APRICOT JAM, 4-lb. tin	37c
LUNCHEON GREEN PEAS, 3 tins	25c	EDDY'S NORTH STAR MATCHES, 3 large boxes	20c
SWANS DOWN CAKE FLOUR, per pkt.	25c	EDDY'S COMET MATCHES, packet of 1 dozen boxes	9c
LIBBY'S SPECIALS			
TOMATO CATSUP, per bottle	14c	PUREX TOILET TISSUE, 2 rolls	15c
HAPPY-VALE PICKLES, 32-oz. jar	25c	MANNING'S TASTY CRISP SODA BISCUITS, large pkt.	16c
COOKED SPAGHETTI, 16-oz. tins	3 for 25c	ORMOND'S SODA BISCUITS, plain or salted, large pkt.	16c
PITTED RED CHERRIES, 18-oz. tin	18c	BISCUIT SPECIALS	
TOMATO JUICE, 10½-oz. tin	5c	ORMOND'S TATTIES, per lb.	21c
DR. JACKSON'S BEKUS, LISIUS OR ROMAN MEAL, per pkt.	31c	CHOCOLATE MACAROONS, per lb.	32c
NABOB SPECIAL MARMALADE, orange, lemon and grapefruit, 4-lb. tin	39c	TEA BISCUITS, per lb.	21c
AYLMER ORANGE MARMALADE, 4-lb. tin	39c	CHRISTIE'S RITZ, per pkt.	15c
		HUNTLEY & PALMER AND PEEK FREAN'S ENGLISH BISCUITS IN GREAT VARIETY.	
		ORMOND'S GRAHAM WAFERS, 16-oz. pkt.	16c
		GOOD RICE, 2 lbs.	9c
		SPLIT PEAS, 2 lbs.	9c

COME IN—PICK OUT WHAT YOU REQUIRE AND SAVE MONEY

CAMPBELL'S TOMATO SOUP, 3 tins	25c	HUSKY DOG OR FELIX CAT FOOD, 3 tins	23c
LIBBY'S VEGETABLE OR TOMATO SOUP, 2 tins	15c	BEST YET DOG FOOD, 3 tins	25c
CRISCO, 1-lb. tin	21c	3-lb. tin	59c
LYNN VALLEY PEACHES, 2½ sq. tins	25c	SWIFT'S CLASSIC CLEANSER, per tin	5c
SINGAPORE PINEAPPLE, Barco Brand, 3 tins	25c	JELL-O PUDDINGS, Chocolate, Butterscotch or Vanilla, 3 pkts.	17c
ROYAL CITY PRESERVED LOGAN-BERRIES, 10-oz. tin	12c	WONDER SOAP, 3 lbs.	25c
MAPLE LEAF DESSERT PEARS, 3 tins	25c	FLAKES, 3 lbs.	25c
NICE RED PLUMS, 3 tins	25c	WHITE SWAN OR CLASSIC LAUNDRY SOAP, 3 bars	10c
TODD'S HORSESHOE SALMON, 1½, per tin	19c	SUNLIGHT SOAP, 4 bars	19c
TODD'S TIGER SALMON, 2 tins	27c	RINSO, large pkt.	21c
BOVRIL OR OXO CUBES, large tin	20c	CHIPSO, large pkt.	20c
TROPIC GOLD GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, 12½-oz. tin	7c	OXYDOL, large pkt.	21c
POLK'S GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, large 50-oz. tin	23c	HEINZ SPECIALS	
MANITOBA PURE HONEY, 4½-lb. tin	45c	TOMATO KETCHUP, large bottle	17c
BRILL-TACK RYE BREAD, per pkt.	14c	CHILI SAUCE OR TOMATO CHUTNEY, large jar	23c
		FRESH CUCUMBER PICKLES, large jar	23c
		STRAINED FOODS, 3 tins	25c
		JUNIOR FOODS, 2 tins	23c

WHILE QUANTITIES LAST!

Godmother Could Give Great Help

An appeal on behalf of the Czech and Polish boys, who are in France training for service with the Allied forces, was made at the Women's Canadian Club meeting this week in a letter from Paris by Miss Gladys Arnold, Canadian woman journalist, who addressed the club here last autumn shortly before she returned to Europe.

Read to the meeting by Mrs. F. G. Aldous, the appeal was as follows:

HOW ARE YOUR NERVES?
Cranky? Restless? Can't sleep? Tired easily? Worried due to female functional disorders? Then try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, well known for over 60 years in helping such weak, rundown, nervous women. Start today!

"There is a great problem in France, which women in Canada could do much to help. What is needed is 'war godmothers' for thousands of boys who have lost their families, parents and all home and friendship ties. These boys are here in France training for the Czechoslovak legion and the Polish legion. These who are married have their wives and children still in their own countries under the oppression of the Germans or the Russians, and it is impossible for them to receive any postcard, letter, or parcel from there; even impossible for them to know whether their loved ones are alive or dead. As these men escaped only with their lives, they are penniless, and it is demoralizing for them never to receive a letter or card or any sign from anybody to feel that life is worth while.

"I suggest that, through some of the organization in Canada, women should adopt some of these boys and write to them. Many would like to study English. Parents could be sent them addressed 'Columbia'.

dates polonais.' Hotel Regina, Place des Pyramides, Paris, France. Parents, even small ones with cigarettes or candy, views of Canada, a kind word, would help to cheer them."

At yesterday's meeting Mrs. Alan Campbell also made an appeal, on behalf of the John Howard Society, for clothing, particularly shoes and trousers, for the outfitting of boys leaving the detention home to seek jobs. Donations should be left at the Friendly Welfare House, 1234 Pandora Avenue, marked care of the John Howard Society.

PER HOLE

It was his first game of golf and he returned to the clubhouse tired but happy.

"What was your score?" asked another member.

"Seventy-two."

"Seventy-two? That's jolly good for a beginner."

"Not so bad," said the novice, hiding his pride, "but I hope to do better at the second hole."

FIRE LOSSES WERE HIGHER

Total of \$68,072 Shown by Department From Record Number of 645 Alarms

Fire losses, with property at risk valued at \$9,252,920, totaled \$68,072 last year, compared with \$24,062 in 1938, according to a report of Fire Chief Alex Munroe presented to the City Council Wednesday afternoon.

During the past year the fire department responded to 645 alarms, a record number since organization of the system. Property loss was sustained in seventy-nine of the fires. Approximately 87 per cent of the total loss was covered by insurance.

Chief Munroe stated in his report that the heavy fire loss could, in part, be attributed to the actions of a man who was taken into custody and committed to Essondale through the efforts of W. G. Lackey and W. Ward, insurance investigators, who co-operated with police.

NEEDS NEW WIRE

He pointed out the fire alarm system under R. G. Winter had given good service, but that a high percentage of iron wire needed replacing with copper. Apparatus had been free from accidents.

Buildings had been kept in a fair state of repair, the roof at headquarters having been weatherproofed under supervision of Duncan K. Kennedy, city building inspector.

Drills held totaled 3,094. Inspections made numbered 11,656. Eighteen orders had been issued under the Fire Marshall Act and 257 notices served by inspectors for various causes. Permits had been granted for 166 oil-burners and five gasoline tanks. Rubbish burning permits totaled 7,809.

Strength of the department had been kept at seventy-five officers and men. During the year one fireman had retired, one had passed away and two new firemen had been given employment. Two firemen had sustained injuries in attending fires.

SEEKS INSPECTOR

Chief Munroe recommended that an extra man be employed for fire inspection work.

Actual time fighting fires totaled 42 hours 30 minutes, the apparatus traveled 10,767 miles, 87,947 feet of hose had been laid and 5,664 feet of ladders raised.

Principal causes of fires during the year had been carelessness on beaches, foul chimneys, incendiaries, smokers' carelessness and defective stove pipes.

Ninety-six false alarms had been received. Three calls had been made for the inhalator crew, the chief reported.

SECURITY SALES RULE MODIFIED

Canadians Now May Buy Canadian Securities From Non-Residents For Cash

OTTAWA, Jan. 11 (CP)—The Foreign Exchange Control Board has announced an extension of the cases in which residents are permitted to purchase Canadian securities from non-residents.

The new provision will apply to any purely Canadian securities bought by a non-resident for cash subsequent to January 8, 1940, of which the board was advised at the time of purchases.

Non-residents will now be in a position to re-establish their cash positions through sale of such securities to residents without assuming a concurrent purchase commitment equivalent in value to the sale, which was the case under previous rulings, the announcement said.

WILL BROADEN MARKET

The new ruling is expected to broaden the market for Canadian securities and will enable non-residents to make full use of the funds which they are holding in Canada.

It was explained that no restrictions exist on the rights of non-residents to sell Canadian securities to other non-residents but a permit must be obtained by a resident desiring to transfer currency to a non-resident in payment for securities.

The new regulation is to the effect this permit will be granted in cases where the resident is purchasing securities which the non-resident had previously purchased for cash.

What Today Means

"CAPRICORN"

If January 12 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 9:45 to 11:45 a.m.; from 1:45 to 3:45 p.m., and from 7:45 to 9:45 p.m. The danger periods are from 7:45 to 9:45 a.m. from 5:45 to 7:45 p.m., and from 9:45 to 11:45 p.m.

Stick to facts this day, for exaggerations, even slight ones, may cause suspicion and a loss of confidence. If you allow your imagination a free rein you may conceive some very queer ideas, particularly about your friends, and their attitude towards you. This is a good day to confine your conversation to impersonal subjects, especially should you avoid discussing any that you "know" do not coincide with your own ideas. If, however, you are forced to be a party to a discussion, it will be good judgment to do what you can to prevent it from becoming a one-sided affair. It might be wise to qualify most of the statements you make, for you may want to modify one or more of them. You are likely to discover phraseology can be decidedly tricky. Married and engaged couples, and those who are working hard to win and to hold someone's love, will do well to remember that mutual respect must exist if love is to endure.

If you are a woman and January 12 is your birthday, the quicker you realize that you cannot always be right, the happier you will be. You may be given to underestimate the intelligence of subordinates or of some of your friends. Be slow to condemn the actions of others, that if you were in their position you would not be tempted to follow their example. Unless you are employed to teach it you cannot live on philosophy; before preaching it seek first the cause and effect of any condition you want to help correct, so that your suggestions will be of value. As a lecturer, demonstrator, actress, interior decorator, artist, author, reporter, or sales agent, you may be unusually fortunate in many respects. You are not apt to have difficulty in making your married life a very happy one.

The child born on January 12

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A "Camp" SCIENTIFIC SUPPORT

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To have a figure that is the envy of all your friends you must have good posture.

A tape measure alone can't tell you, for though you are perfectly proportioned and a joy to fit in clothes you may have a problem figure—backaches and slumping habits that destroy your beauty more than you know. A Camp Support keeps muscles in place and helps Nature help you to maintain good posture, a fine figure, beauty and health.

FOR THE FULLER FIGURE—
A model of English coutil with elastic top and side hook. Well boned and with the famous Camp adjustment feature.

FOR THE AVERAGE FIGURE—
A model of tulleous brocade with elastic inset in top and side hook.

FOR THE VERY SHORT FIGURE—
Low top, short model with side hook, light boning and back lace. Made of peach batiste.

Each of These Models at the Moderate Price of \$4.95

—Corsets, 1st Floor

Candy Specials

Cocoanut Ice, a lb. 19c

Spencer's Hand-Dipped Chocolates in the following flavors: Daisies, lemon, rum and butter, maple, peppermint, snowballs, peanut rolls, vanilla, peanut clusters, nougattines, jellies and Everton and peanut caramels, a lb. 20c

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Several Special Values in

BEDDING SUPPLIES

COTTON-FILLED COMFORTERS in full size and attractively covered. Each \$1.89

COTTON-FILLED COMFORTERS—Size 52 x 64 inches. Suitable for children's beds. Each \$1.49

WHITE FLANNELETTE SHEETS (slightly standard). Size 70 x 90 inches. A pair \$2.59

RAYON SILK BEDSPREADS finished with fancy stitching and bunched sides. A variety of colors. Double bed size. Each \$2.98

LOOSE COVERS for comforters, in floral designs with plain panels. Each \$1.69

ALL-FEATHER BED PILLOWS—Covered with floral tickings. Each 69c

CRIB COMFORTERS—Size 27 x 36 inches, with silk covering and stitched centres. Slightly soiled. Each \$1.49

INFANTS' WHITE FLANNELETTE SHEETS—Size 36 x 45 inches. Each 69c

—Bedding Dept., Main Floor

SILKS

AT SPECIAL PRICES



CREPE-BACK SATIN in a range of favorite shades. Suitable for evening wear, drapes perfectly and is uncrushable; 42 inches wide. Former price \$1.00 a yard. Sale Price 79c

SELF-COLOR CREPES—Very reliable in texture and shown in shades of navy, blue, rust, etc. Former price 79c a yard. Sale Price 59c

CORD DE LAINE—A very superior silk and new this season. It is crease-resisting and shown in staple shades. Former price \$1.49 a yard. Sale Price 98c

COIN-SPOT SATINS in self shades with coin spot in shadow effect. White, forest green, brown and navy. Former price \$1.75 a yard. Sale Price 98c

—Silks, Main Floor



"Kayserette Sleepers" GOWNS AND PYJAMAS

In the Softest, Snuggest of Knits and the Smartest of Styles

PYJAMAS with short and long sleeves, in coat or slip on style and with ski leg. Shown in blue and roseblush. Small, medium and large \$2.50

GOWNS with either short or long sleeves and finished with dainty necklines and trims. Small, medium and large \$2.00

"HARVEYETTES"—SNUGGIES in several styles and with either 15% or 50% wool mixture. Shown in pink and white. 59c and 79c

CLEARING COSY KNIT PYJAMAS—Regular \$1.98 for Odd lines, sizes and shades. A few pairs only for quick clearance. \$1.49

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FINAL CLEARANCE OF COTTON DRESSES AND SMOCKS

Small Sizes Only—

Each \$1.00

Several styles and colorings from which to choose, and all formerly much higher-priced goods.

—Womenswear, 1st Floor

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SUNDAY DANCING IN THE COURTS

Nanaimo Police Prosecute Following New Year's Eve Entertainment at Pygmy Pavilion

NANAIMO, Jan. 11.—Whether dancing will be allowed on Sunday nights in Nanaimo or not may depend on a decision to be rendered by Magistrate C. H. Beevor-Potts next week. Yesterday the police, with C. M. Reynolds prosecuting, charged that the management of the Pygmy Pavilion sold tickets to patrons and that dancing followed on Sunday night, New Year's Eve.

A city by-law reads that dance halls, etc., must close at 12 midnight Saturday and remain closed until 8 a.m. Monday. Arthur Leighton, for the defence, claimed the by-law is ultra vires and that prosecution, if any, should have been launched under the Lord's Day Act.

In 1932 Magistrate Beevor-Potts held on a similar charge against the same company that the by-law

was ultra vires, and dismissed the charge. Yesterday, after an all-day hearing, he said he would reserve his decision for one and possibly two weeks.

ARTFUL

Parsons—"They say people with opposite characteristics make the happiest marriages."

Vickers—"Yes, that's why I'm looking for a girl with money."

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